

## SOUTH CAROLINA SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE

### MARRS CHARGES FRAUD IN HOPKINS COUNTY SCHOOLS

#### TREMORS SHAKE TWO COUNTIES FOR SEVERAL MINUTES

(By United Press)  
SPARTANBURG, Oct. 20.—The Spar-Piedmont section of South Carolina was severely shaken by an earthquake early this morning. Tremors were felt for several minutes in Spartanburg and Greenville counties. Windows rattled and pictures were dropped from walls. The quake was general in a radius of one hundred miles. Advices indicate. The amount of damage is not known.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—"Don't believe it was an earthquake. My instruments did not show anything at that time," Father Tondroff, seismographist at Georgetown University, said regarding the reported quake in South Carolina. "It may have been a landslide," he added.

#### Evangelist Has A Busy Sunday

The McKinney Auditorium meeting is in full swing. Evangelist Carter is preaching some of the very best services ever preached in Mexia. He is a power for God and His cause. The auditorium was full to overflowing last night. You are invited to come and see for yourself, if the gospel is being preached. Evangelist Carter has traveled in 13 states, has had about four thousand additions to the church, in the 27 years as an evangelist. Yesterday he preached three times attended to the Baptizing and married a couple, Mr. Tom Cannon and Miss Lavern Managhan of Thornton.

#### ALONG THE SIDE LINES

(By United Press)  
NEW HAVEN.—Yale escaped whole skinned from her game with Dartmouth and Coach Jones indicated he would put the varsity through a heavy practice today.

PRINCETON.—With Buzz Stout and Ed McMullan back in the lineup after a week's rest the Tigers will start a week of hard drilling for the Notre Dame game Saturday. The squad came through the Navy game in good shape.

CAMBRIDGE.—Harvard will spend the week in perfecting the defense for Dartmouth's reverse plays and forward passes which scouts reported as the most dangerous of the Green's offensive.

ANNAPOLIS.—The Middies suffered heavy casualties in the Princeton game and six men were on the hospital list today one of whom the veteran tackle Clyde, will be out of the line up for the rest of the season. The other five have badly injured noses, but their loss will probably not be permanent.

URBANA, Ill.—Although critics have practically conceded the 1924 Conference championship to Illinois Coach Bob Zuppke, taking no chance, warned his team against over confidence in the hard games to follow.

CHICAGO.—The Maroons, with their first conference game registered as a win, started drilling today for the Ohio State game next Saturday. Several substitutes will be given a chance.

EVANSTON.—Northwestern's disappointing defeat at the hands of Purdue left the team in good physical condition and the morale of Coach Thistlewaite's eleven rose today. The men believe they lost on "boners."

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—That football interest is not lagging at Notre Dame was demonstrated when the "fighting Irish" returned from their victory over the Army Saturday. One of the biggest demonstrations in the history of the school was staged.

MADISON, Wis.—The tie score with Minnesota Saturday although it was a great disappointment to the Badgers, convinced Jack Ryan that he has a fighting aggregation.

Was Wireless Operator on Board ZR-3.



WILLY SPECK  
Above is pictured Willy Speck, chief German radio operator on the ZR-3 on its transatlantic flight, and he kept the big vessel in constant touch with the outside world.

#### Intervention Is Awaited In Tong War In The U. S.

(By United Press)  
NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—All efforts at mediation in the tong war in the East have failed and the next step must be federal intervention and deportation of those responsible for the continuation of the murderous feud, Inspector Alfred W. Brough of the Chinese Bureau of the Immigration Service, declared today.

With word of murder of a Chinese in Detroit, the latest victim of rivalry between the On Leong and Hip Sing Tong, there was fresh activity by police and detectives here to prevent an outbreak of vengeance. Leaders of the On Leongs refused to meet those of the Hips in a peace parley this week-end. As a result Inspector Brough announced he will exert all his influence to bring deportation into play to end the strife.

Any Chinese found carrying weapons illegally will be made liable to deportation as a "dangerous radical," he said, and it may be possible even to resort to wholesale deportations of tong leaders.

It developed today that the tong war has a Canadian angle and an investigation has been begun at Ottawa. Reports are that it was a "sequel" in connection with the smuggling of Chinese across the Canadian border into the United States that led to the first killing in the present phase of the feud.

#### DOHENY CASE SET FOR NEXT TUESDAY

(By United Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—After a suspension of 24 hours the government's suit against E. L. Doheny, seeking to break the Elk Hill naval reserve lease given the Pan-American Oil Company by former Secretary of the Interior Fall, will be resumed here Tuesday. The suit, involving \$100,000,000 worth of oil properties in Central California was scheduled to open this morning, but was postponed due to the crowded calendar.

#### NABISCO BEING SUED AS A MONOPLY

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Supreme Court denied the petition of the Federal Trade Commission for a review of its suit charging the National Biscuit Company with monopoly in restraint of trade in that it sold its products to chain of stores systems cheaper than to individual grocers.

#### WOMAN DIES IN CEMETERY WITH HER THROAT CUT

(By United Press)  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 20.—With her throat slashed and several empty vials near by, Mrs. Beesio Marsh was found near death in the city cemetery Sunday night. A pet bull dog was standing near the body with a slashed throat. A razor case minus the razor was found near the body with a note directing the funeral.

#### MEXIA OBSERVES GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY THE 19TH

Sunday was "Go to church Sunday." Mexia joined the communities of America in the movement and larger than usual congregations met in all Mexia churches.

The Baptists held their morning service at the church but the evening service was held in the big tent at the corner of Paris and Main. The big tent revival is being widely advertised by autoists. Cars bearing the sign "Big Tent Revival at Mexia" are numbered by the scores and on every hand these placards are seen. The preaching is being done by the Pastor, Rev. Joe Joffers and three choirs have been organized by Assistant Paul B. Harper. The first ten service was marked by a big congregation pointing to larger attendance as the revival gets underway.

Another revival is under way at the McKinney Street Church building, conducted by Elder Carter of the Church of Christ.

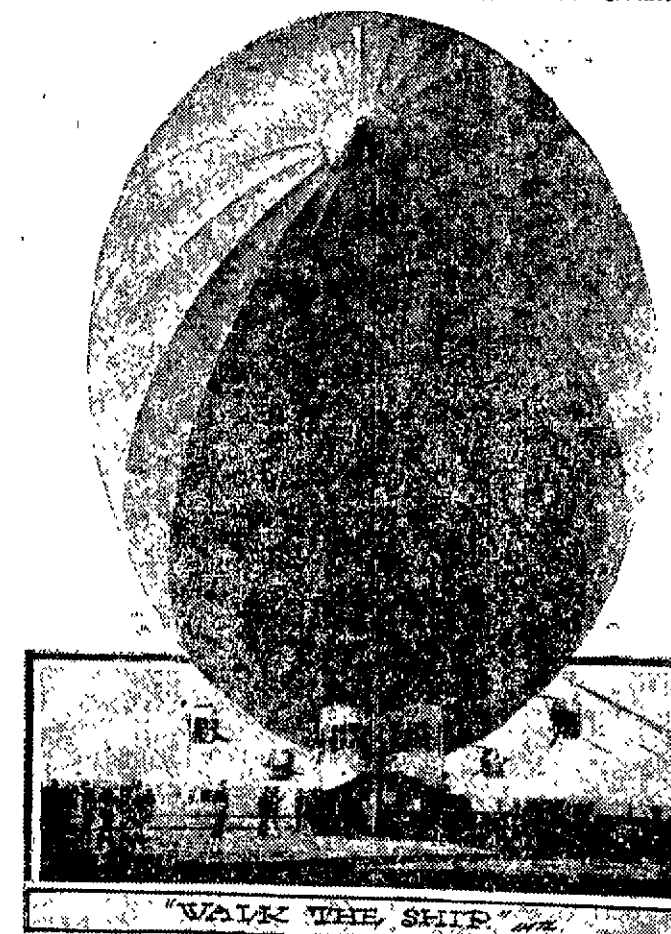
At the Central Presbyterian church special features were conducted for the young people. At the First Presbyterian church Rev. John Hudson, of Victoria, brother of the pastor, Rev. E. H. Hudson, preached at both morning and evening services.

Rev. W. B. Andrews, pastor of the First Methodist church, occupied his pulpit at both hours. The morning service was especially well attended, the overflow being provided for in the Sunday School room. At this service, Noel Hollingsworth, chairman of the Board of Stewards, made a brief talk on the need of church members to cooperate heartily with the Sunday school, which he pointed out was the second most important part of church life. He said that the preaching service was the most important and that the Sunday school came next, as it furnished the vast majority of church members. The speaker pointed out that there was a time when Sunday schools were considered effeminate and designed for the women and children, but this is not true. Today, a vast majority of the leaders in public life in this country are attendants at Sunday school and many of them are teachers.

#### TRIAL BY JURY UPHOLD BY S. C.

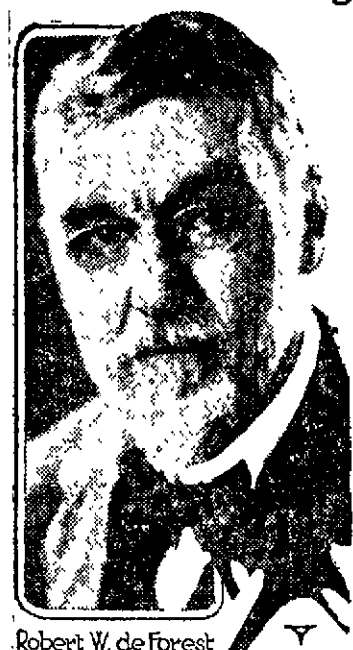
(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The United States Supreme Court ruled as constitutional the section of the Clayton act which prescribes trial by jury for strike breakers charged with contempt of court.

#### ZR-3 ENTERING LAKEHURST HANGAR.



"Walk the ship" was the command given the ground crew that raised guy ropes and walked the ZR-3 into her hangar at Lakehurst, N. J., at the end of her record breaking flight from Friedrichshafen, Germany, 5,066 miles, which she negotiated in eighty-one hours and seventeen minutes.

#### New American Wing



NEW YORK (Special).—A new American Wing to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, containing some of the greatest collections of early American art and architecture in the world, has just been presented to the museum by its President, Hon. Robert W. de Forest, and Mrs. de Forest. The wing contains fifteen rooms which are replicas of characteristic rooms from the time of the Pilgrims onward. They have been installed with the identical woodwork, walls, ceilings, window casings, and even old bricks taken from the original rooms. Each of the rooms is furnished as in olden time, and the visitor will be able to walk right through them, for the displays are not set in glass cases. There are wonderful exhibits of early American architecture, furniture, fireplaces, silver, glass, pottery, textiles, as well as paintings in appropriate settings.

#### Most Valuable Player On Black Cat Squad To Receive Beautiful Cup

Several football enthusiasts and local firms have donated a beautiful silver loving cup, to be given the most valuable player on the high school Black Cat football squad at the end of the season. The cup stands 15 inches high on a handsome black walnut base and is beautiful to look upon. The name of the player and his means of winning the cup, etc., will be engraved on the cup when the most valuable player has been voted and decided upon. The cup is now on display in the Anderson and Horn Drug Store window. This will be a treasured prize of the pigskin warrior who is so lucky as to win this distinction, because whoever wins the cup will rightly earn it, as the fighting Black Cats will be drawing lots of attention before the season is over.

Those donating the cup are: W. M. Miller, Anderson and Horn, Mexia Battery and Tire Co., Oasis Confectionery, Piggy Wiggly, American Dry Shop, Frazier Hendrix, Jimmie's Cafe, R. A. Wagner and Dollarhide & Stephens Hardware.

#### TRIPLETS BORN AND PRISONER IS RELEASED

(By United Press)  
MESQUITE, Texas, Oct. 20.—Intervention of the stork, which left triplets at the home of Mrs. Robert Hall here Saturday night, brought temporary release to her husband from the state penitentiary today.

One of the babies died Sunday, but the other two will live. The family is destitute.

Hall a world war veteran slightly past 21, was sentenced to a long term in the penitentiary last May in connection with the killing of Winfield Knox, member of a "tick-tacking" party December 31, 1922. Hall went to the penitentiary without guard and was on his way home today alone.

Release of the prisoner for a visit with his family was granted by acting governor T. W. Davidson after a telephonic conversation with Mayor J. F. McCulloch here Sunday. "Sure, I'll parole the boy home. And, say judge, how's the two little babies?" the acting-governor inquired, according to McCulloch.

Attempts will be made to secure a permanent parole for the prisoner, McCulloch said today.

#### Cromwell Dance Hall Case Is Still Being Watched

(By United Press)  
CROMWELL, Okla., Oct. 20.—Federal agents found Cromwell, oil boom town, under fire for lax law enforcement, prepared for their visit. Evidence of interstate transportation of women could not be found, and drug and liquor peddlers had departed. Several women from Kansas City arrested, declared that they came here with the understanding that they would be employed as dancing partners.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20.—Two women, Mrs. Mattie Jones, manager of a dance hall at Cromwell, Oklahoma, and her partner, Mrs. M. L. Sedestrom, are being held here for questioning following their arrest Saturday night enroute to Cromwell with a party of girls from here. The girls told officers it was their duty to "steer" patrons to the bar in the dance hall where liquor was freely dispensed.

#### TICKETS IN A. & M. SECTION AT AUSTIN ON SALE NOV. 1

College Station, Texas, October 20.—All applications received for tickets in the A. & M. section for the Thanksgiving football game are being returned to the senders by James Sullivan, business manager of athletics at the A. & M. College of Texas. No applications will be honored before November 1 except from members of the Former Students' Association. They should be mailed so as to reach his office on that date. All seats will be \$2.50 each and there is expected to be no shortage. Unless twelve cents is enclosed for registry the tickets will be mailed at purchaser's risk.

#### DALLAS SALESMAN KILLED IN DIFFICULTY

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—C. F. Gowen, 40, Dallas salesman, was shot and instantly killed following an altercation here early today. Police were holding a man for investigation in connection with the shooting. Both had been drinking, officers said.

#### STATE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEEWOMAN IS SPENDING DAY HERE

Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth, Democratic Committeewoman, of Texas, of Ft. Worth, is visiting friends in Mexia today and Tuesday. Mrs. Bloodworth has many friends here who are happy to have her with them, even if but for a short while.

Baby Killed In Dallas.  
DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—Donald Barrett, three, was crushed to death here Sunday when he became entangled in the drive shaft of a gasolene engine.

#### Five-Year-Old Boy Is Mathematical Prodigy.



STUART E. WAGMAN  
Mathematical experts have been stumped by the genius of Stuart E. Wagman, five-year-old New York City prodigy. He can tell off hand the day of any week if you give him the calendar date. He can spell any ordinary word in the language and can mentally multiply two and three unit figures, such as 65x87.

#### Scholarships Are Awarded Winners In Literary Events

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Scholarships are awarded by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas to students who, at the annual state meet of the University Interscholastic League win first, second, and third honors in the literary events. These scholarships entitle the holders to exemption from matriculation fees on the same basis as affiliated school scholarships awarded to honor graduates. There are now 19 students eligible to receive them for having won awards in debating, extempore speaking, declamation, spelling, and essay writing.

These students are the following: Edwin Davis and Pebbie Alford, Hubbard; Theodore Weiss and Paul Mazur, Breckenridge High (San Antonio); Maxine Ogilvie and Lillie Rosenbaum, Fort Worth; Johnny Guynes and Pauline Laster, Calvert; Lott Taylor, Laredo; Claud Manning, Groesbeck; Edwin Moffett, San Antonio; Mary Gene Owen, Dallas; Mavis Scott, San Antonio; Helen Greenwood, Navasota; Marjorie Hicks, Port Arthur; Lenora Johnson, Temple; Charlene Bond, Uvalde; Tom Lea, El Paso.

#### SAY CAPPER HAS SUPPORT OF KLAN

TOPEKA, Kas., Oct. 20.—United States Senator Arthur Capper, republican of Kansas has the endorsement of the Ku Klux Klan, according to the Klan ticket which was being distributed over the State today. Only three republicans were not endorsed by the Klan.

#### FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS.

NEWARK, N. J.—Mickey Walker, world's welterweight champion, and Jack Malone of St. Paul will meet here Wednesday October 30 in a 12-round bout. Luis Angel Firpo will act as second to Mick Ferrara, "the little Firpo" who fights Gordon Munce former national amateur heavyweight champion in the semi-final.

#### SPORT TABLOIDS.

LAUREL Md.—Eugene Leigh, Epineard's trainer announced the French colt would be shipped to New York this week to sail for France within a fortnight Epineard came out of Saturday's race in which he finished fifth, with a cracked quarter and Leigh says he can not go to the post again this year.

CHICAGO.—Three Indianapolis drivers—Ralph Ormsby, Clarence Kingsley and Wilbur Shaw—finished first, second and third, respectively, in the national 100-mile dirt track championship auto race at the Roby track yesterday. Ormsby's time was 1:28:08 1-5.

Felix Parker and Doyle Perkinson spent Saturday and Sunday in Dallas attending the State Fair. While there they were the guests of Reuben Parker, Jr., who is attending the Terrill School.

#### INJUNCTION SUITS BRING TO LIGHT QUESTIONABLE METHODS

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Organized trading in public school certificates in Hopkins county was charged by State School Superintendent Marrs following the bringing of six injunction suits to prevent him from cancelling certificates issued to teachers in rural schools in the vicinity of Sulphur Springs. Investigations disclose, according to Marrs, there had been fraud in the issuance of certificates over a two year period. Twenty nine teachers have recently been cited to appear before Marrs to show why certificates be not cancelled.

#### Snobbery To Be Banned, Says Horn

AUSTIN, Oct. 20.—"Greek won't meet Greek" at Texas' new college of technology now in the course of construction at Lubbock.

According to the first bulletin of the new institution received by the state board of control, the organization of Greek letter fraternities is absolutely banned. Elimination of snobbery and class distinction are the reasons given by P. W. Horn, president of the school, in eliminating the fraternities.

The school will be completed in every detail and ready for occupancy in September 1924.

#### Old Teacher Dines Her Former Pupil

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 20.—Teacher and pupil of a little rural school in eastern Maine met in Port Arthur one night recently for the first time in 21 years.

Mrs. Joe Corthell was the teacher, and Paul Donovan, chief engineer on the tanker Bald Hill, was the pupil. Donovan chanced to meet the captain of a vessel and hearing the name of Mrs. Corthell, recalled that it was familiar after years of roving the seas in all parts of the world. Followed a dinner at the Corthell home where the days of "reading, 'ritin and 'rithmetic" were revived again by the teacher and her pupil.

#### Fire Plug Law Will Be Strictly Enforced

Fire Chief Pittman states that every fire plug in the business section of the city now has a large board sign attached, warning against parking within the prohibited zone of 15 feet in either direction.

This law will be strictly enforced starting at once; the fine for parking in such places is \$5.00.

It is hoped that the citizens of Mexia will cooperate with the city authorities in enforcing this very necessary measure for the welfare of the city.

#### Time Knocks Out This Old Negro

HOUSTON, Oct. 20.—Groans. Moans. An old negro lying in a deserted yard here at noon. Someone called the police and an ambulance and the old negro was taken to a hospital. At the hospital he gave his name. His age? "Somethin' upwards of a hundred, Miss." What was the matter with him? "Jes' ol' age a-settlin' in mah bones."

#### ANOTHER GRADE CROSSING CASUALTY

TEXARKANA, Texas, Oct. 20.—Charles Stewart, 40, was killed and James Smith, seriously injured when their automobile was demolished by a Texas-Pacific passenger train at a grade crossing near here Sunday.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 20.—Theodore Castillo 24, died this morning of pistol wounds inflicted Sunday night at a wedding party. Antonio Oldron, also a guest at the wedding surrendered to officers.





## Denver Girls Want To Clean Up Booze Selling in Dallas

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 20.—"If you can use us on the Dallas police force to catch bootleggers we'll proceed there immediately. So much pressure is being brought to bear here that we've decided to leave."  
This is the excerpt from a letter received by Police Chief Claude Trammell from two Amazon "Izzy" Einsteins at Denver who claim to have established a record for catching booze peddlers at so much per head.  
"We've been getting on an average of three a day for the last two years and because we've been so active the ring has declared war on us. We can clean up Dallas in a hurry. We are both pretty, shapely, delectable and know our stuff," the letter boasted.  
The chief said he didn't think much of their offer, asserting his coppers were "doing pretty well."

## HOMER PURPOSES OF BAPTISTS PROSPER

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—Home purposes of the 3,536 Baptist Churches in Texas during the period of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign beginning in 1919, received \$12,472,680 through free will offerings, Dr. F. S. Groner, General Secretary of the Executive Board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas reports. This amount was not included in the contributions of the five year program but it was intended that local church expenses should be carried through special offerings for that week.  
The gifts to local church expenses are increasing as a direct result of the efforts of the denomination to bring about the success of the Campaign, Dr. Groner said. In the year preceding the Campaign the gifts to local church expenses totaled \$2,151,705 in Texas. During the year which closed May 1, 1924, just five years later, the gifts to local church expenses were \$3,908,850, which is the largest amount used for Home purposes in the history of the denomination in the State.  
The gifts during the first four years of the Campaign showed a gradual increase with \$2,183,230 in 1920; \$3,371,510 in 1921; \$3,580,672 in 1922; \$3,128,370 in 1923; that year being the only period during which the growth was halted.  
It is expected that the gifts to the Campaign from now until the opening of the Baptist General Convention of Texas in Dallas, November 20, will exceed all gifts during this same period in Texas Baptist history. After that Convention, efforts will be turned toward the 1925 program of the Southern Baptists, in which it is hoped to obtain \$7,000,000 in the seventeen Southern

## RADIO PROGRAMS

**Station Call Letters.**  
KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 325.  
KGO, Oakland, 312.  
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.  
KHJ, Los Angeles, 395.  
KPO, San Francisco, 423.  
KSD, St. Louis, 546.  
GFGG, Los Angeles, 278.  
KYW, Chicago, 535.  
WAAW, Omaha, 350.  
WBAP, Fort Worth, 476.  
WBAY, Columbus, Ohio, 390.  
WEZ, Springfield, Ill., 337.  
WCAE, Pittsburgh, 462.  
WWJ, Detroit, 517.  
WMAQ, Chicago, 447.5.  
WMC, Memphis, 500.  
WSB, Atlanta, 429.  
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.  
WDAR, Chicago, 360.  
WFAS, Dallas, 476.  
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.  
WIP, Philadelphia, 509.  
WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 390.  
WLW, Cincinnati, 309.  
**June in Time—Central Standard Time (See Station Calls Above)**  
**Central Standard Time.**  
By DAISY MAYS.  
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.  
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.  
KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Dance orchestra.  
WMAQ, 6:00 Theater organ recital.  
WOAW, 6:00 Dramatic hour.  
WOAW, 6:30 Dinner program.  
WMAQ, 6:30 Hotel LaSalle orchestra.  
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Selger's orchestra.  
7:00 to 8:00 p. m.  
KGW, 7:00 Children's program.  
WHB, 7:00 to 8:00 Address; music; Blue Moon orchestra.  
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Moments from the Majestic.  
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30 Children's hour.  
KPO, 7:30 to 9:30 KGO kiddies club.  
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.  
WLW, 8:00 Alvin Roehr's orchestra.  
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:15 Dance music.  
WSB, 8:00 to 9:00 Quartet.  
WFAS, 8:30 to 9:30 Band.  
WMC, 8:30 Hotel Gayoso orchestra.  
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.  
KSD, 9:00 Missouri Theater specialties.  
WLW, 9:00 Orchestra and male quartet.  
WOAW, 9:00 Concert orchestra.

KPO, 9:00 to 9:30 Selger's orchestra.  
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 Old Time Fiddler music.  
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.  
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald concert.  
KGO, 10:00 Educational program; Arion trio.  
KPO, 10:00 to 11:00 Organ recital.  
KGW, 10:00 Concert orchestra.  
WSB, 10:45 Radiowl entertainment.  
11:00 p. m. to 12:00.  
KPO, 11:00 to 12:00 Soprano and piano recital.  
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner studio program.

## Advertising Trash Remain in Dallas

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 20.—Advertising trash cans on the downtown streets will remain despite the recent protest of the Dallas Retail Merchants Association Mayor Louis Blaylock has decreed.  
Merchants recently filed objections to the cans, claiming they were unsightly and allowed a competitor to advertise his wares right in front of his business rival's door.  
"And no good merchant is afraid of competition," said the mayor in concluding his argument which clinched the cans to the street.



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## Westminster Academy Department Accredited

Dr. E. R. Biggs, President of Westminster College, has received the following letter from Dean Childs of Trinity University, in fulfillment of an agreement with the committee on standards:  
Dear President Biggs:  
The State Department of Education has given the Committee on Standards and Classification of the Association of Texas Colleges a formal statement of the accrediting for eleven units of Westminster's two years of academy work, and, according to the agreement with the committee at the last meeting of the association Westminster is now entitled to go on the list of Independent Junior Colleges as of first-class rank.

J. H. Park is reported to have sold the building on North McKinney Street, known as the Rex Rooming House to Bud Webb of Personville. Part of the building is being torn down and moved to Personville and part of it being moved to the south part of the city.

Z. Gardner, who is drilling the Spelght test, is in the city after an absence of several weeks.

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## "FLAPPER BANDIT" FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER BY PHILADELPHIA JURY

(By United Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Violet Dickerson, 19, "Flapper Bandit" was found guilty of the murder of Louis

Hirsch by the jury after deliberating seventeen hours.

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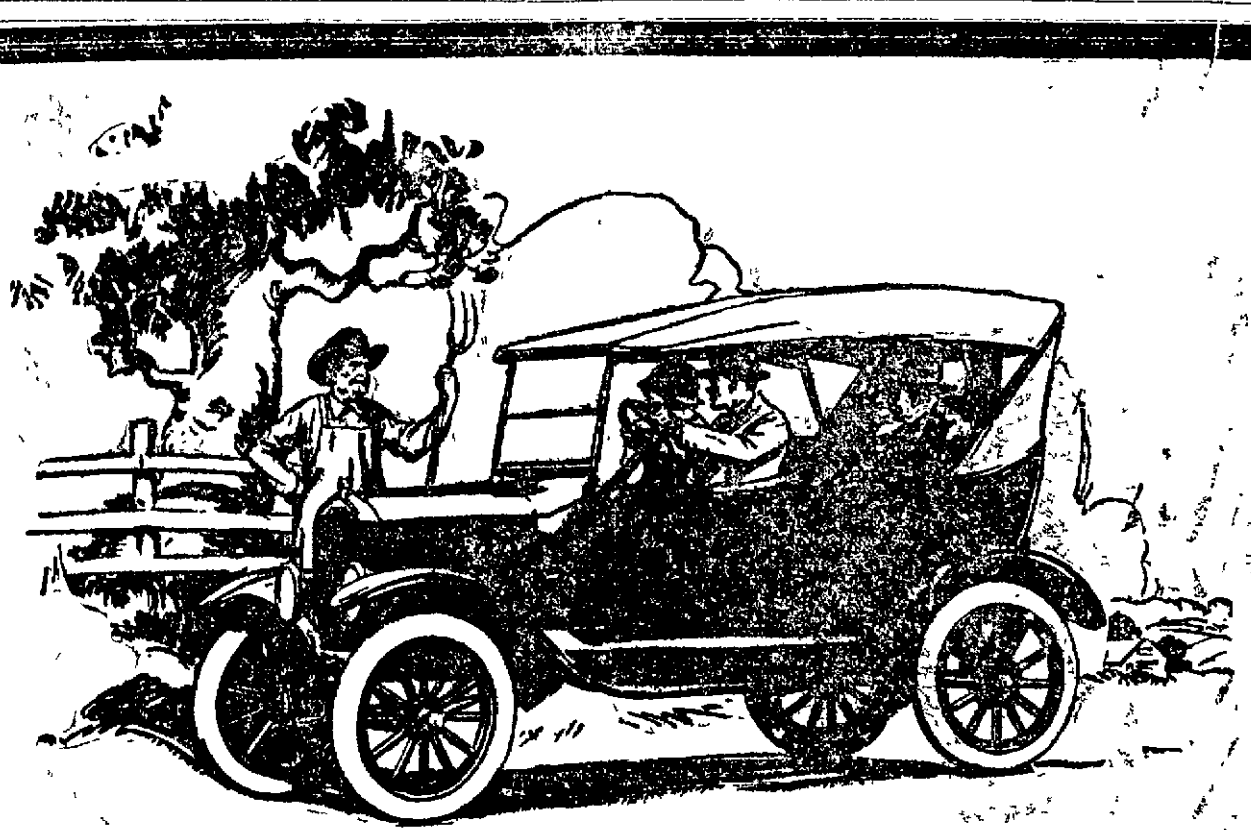


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### YELLOW FEVER IN HOUSTON

Houston was saved from a yellow fever epidemic because of the fact that modern sanitary science has shown the way to prevent such epidemics, according to Dr. Malone Duggan, state health officer.

"Yellow fever is transmitted only through the bite of the yellow fever mosquito," stated Dr. Duggan, "and the fact that it was confined to the one man who brought it to Houston, was due not only to the fast and thorough work done since its discovery, but also to the work done by the city in past years in exterminating mosquitos. The progress of the city would have been set back 10 or 15 years had an epidemic occurred, and the fact that the city was saved should convince the people of the entire state that mosquito eradication is one of the most valuable and vital of all public concerns."

"As long as yellow fever is endemic in Mexico, there is a potential danger of it getting a foothold in this country. For this reason, it will be necessary for the people of this section of the country to insist upon mosquito eradication and give more consideration to sanitary health regulations."

Dr. Duggan further calls attention to the fact that this is the day of insurance as people take out insurance on everything from their lives to their automobiles, and stresses the fact that public health insurance is more important than any other class of insurance, as it protects not only one person but large districts. "As the money spent by the city of Houston on mosquito eradication is a very small and insignificant sum compared to what a yellow fever epidemic would have cost," states Dr. Duggan, "so is the amount of money spent by any city or community on mosquito control comparatively small to the benefits derived from such expenditures."

"The mosquito is also responsible for the spread of malaria and dengue fever, and any community suffering from epidemics of this character can save itself by killing the mosquitoes. This can best be done by destroying their breeding places, as the mosquito is short-lived. A few hundred dollars spent this way is worth thousands of dollars to any community."

### FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE IN TEXAS UNDER CONTROL

The outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease near Houston, Texas, officially confirmed on September 27, was considered under control on October 13, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

The disease has been found in only five herds and there has been no new infection during the past eight days except in one dairy herd of 17 cows in an enclosure adjoining an infected pasture. All the diseased cattle herds have been slaughtered and buried, the last one being disposed of the same day that it was found infected. This prompt disposition of infected animals reduces to a minimum the danger of the virus being spread to other herds. Cleaning and disinfection of infected premises are being pushed vigorously, usually being completed within a few days after the animals have been put under ground.

A short time after eradication work was begun it was ascertained that about 50 estrays had been turned out of a large pasture the day before the animals in that pasture were found infected. As it was very probable that some of these estrays would carry the infection to their home pastures, a thorough round-up was made of the adjoining ranges and a considerable number of cattle slaughtered and buried to prevent further spread of the disease.

### DID YOU KNOW THAT

The Department of Commerce announced that estimates indicate that during the year 1923 highway fatalities in the United States totaled 22,621 or an increase of 3,418 over the previous year.

The 1923 death rate from these highway accidents was 20.1 per 100,000 population as contrasted with 17.6 in 1922. This increase was largely due to the increase of 2,776 deaths in the estimated number of fatalities from automobile accidents. Even the 16,452 deaths charged against the automobile do not tell the whole story, as deaths resulting from collisions between automobiles and railroad trains and between automobiles and street cars are charged to the heavier vehicle.

Two thousand fatalities from such collisions in 1923 is a conservative estimate for the United States. If this figure and the fatalities from motorcycle accidents be added to the figure for automobile accidents, the final 1923 toll from motor machines on highways becomes 18,738, or 83 per cent of all highway fatalities.

Farm club women in other states have bought steam pressure cookers and entered what may be called commercial canning. They go from farm to farm and can for a certain per cent. In this way they soon pay for their own canner and realize an income. It is a lesson for Texas women. The home demonstration agent should be consulted for full information.

The thrifty farmer saves his soil with terraces and by growing winter cover crops. Extension farm agents are ready to show how to throw up the terraces and select the crops for sowing.

### CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS

By N. P. Houx

### THE CITIZEN'S OBLIGATION.

Houston Post.

The Post Dispatch has no quar-

rel with any man or woman who feels bound by the primary pledge to support "Proxy" Jim for governor.

It is merely concerned in dissipating any existing impression that a citizen is obligated by the conven-

national primary pledge to violate his or her conscience. A free, intelligent and conscientious vote is the citizen's highest duty to the State, and no other kind of ballot can aid the cause of human liberty or good government.

Public office is not a reward or benefit established for the individual, but a trust to be administered for the benefit of all the people, and the ballot is not a method of distributing favors, but one designed to secure honest and efficient government.

In voting, the citizen's problem is not to bestow a favor upon a candidate, but to safeguard the government and free institutions.

A citizen owes nothing to a party beyond the point where that party is consecrated to good government administered by upright, capable public servants.

When a party ceases to proclaim sound principles, or to advocate wise policies, or to offer leaders of noble character and ample ability, it ceases to deserve the citizen's confidence. When an unworthy person is nominated, the highest duty of the citizen is to defeat him.

That is The Post-Dispatch's view of the situation.

As for Jim Ferguson, he is not a democrat and has never considered himself bound by a primary pledge. He has not even considered himself bound by the sacred oath of office, as the dark record brought out by the court of impeachment proves.

That he is running for governor in his wife's name, being barred by the constitution from holding public office in this State, is a matter so plain that no intelligent person need be misled by the peculiar circum-

stances of the present situation in Texas.

That, if his wife should be elected, he would exercise the power of the office of governor, the constitution to the contrary notwithstanding. We have both his own word and his wife's word for it. Therefore, he would have the power without a vestige of accountability, which would be a dangerous innovation in government, even if he were as pure as the driven snow.

Then the humiliating example he gave as a governor of Texas would become an accepted and approved ideal of official conduct.

He has told us that he has not backed up on anything he may have said or done in the past. That is, he stands by his illegal juggling of the public funds, and by his borrowing of a vast sum of money from the Texas brewers at a time when they were arrayed at the bar of public opinion with the life of their industry at stake. And he stands by his blazing denunciation of the entire democratic party, State and National, and his efforts to destroy it.

It is for the people to say whether they are to discredit the lofty examples of integrity, statesmanship and fidelity which have been given to posterity by such governors as Coke, Robert's, Ross, Hogg, Culbertson and a long line of noble statesmen and place their explicit approval upon Jim Ferguson, the only governor of Texas who ever disgraced his high office or used its exalted powers and influence for sordid ends.

The circumstance that the State is threatened with such a calamity is due to a peculiar situation in which an outrageous statute denied democracy the opportunity to avert it, and

## Negroes Are Now Welcome at Alvin

(By United Press)

ALVIN, Oct. 20.—For many years Alvin has been one of the most unwelcome spots in the state for negroes.

But the old order changeth and the local chamber of commerce with the assistance of Mayor Edwards, have passed resolutions lifting the ban on negroes desiring to live in or near the city. It will be the first time negroes have ever lived in the city.

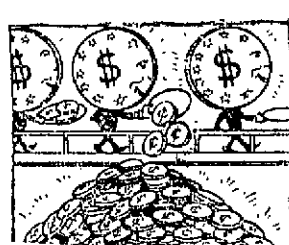
Scarcity of laborers coupled with growing dairy and fig industries is given as the reason for the welcome sign being hung out.

not to the unfettered judgment of the citizenry of Texas.

Those who feel that the primary has forced upon them an offensive pledge, which, in spite of the good name of the party or the honor of the State, they are bound to keep, must follow their own convictions of duty.

But those who feel that their highest obligation is to the State they love may also follow their own convictions and place the seal of their condemnation upon Jim Ferguson and his proxy candidacy.

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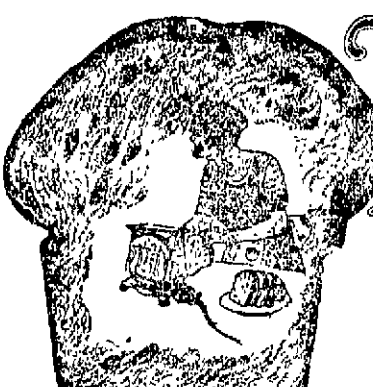
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## Enforcement of Prohi. In Texas

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Prohibition enforcement is becoming more effective every day, and this improvement in curbing the outlawed liquor traffic is due to better cooperation between Federal and local authorities, imposition of jail sentences in lieu of fines for violators, more general use of the "padlock" on liquor nuisances, and steps taken toward stopping leaks of liquor from bonded warehouses to the illicit market, according to a resume of prohibition enforcement by the Federal Government during the present administration at Washington, received today by Frank Cole, Federal Prohibition Director for this state.

The report covers the period from June 11, 1921 to September 11, 1924. It shows that the main sources for obtaining genuine liquor in this country have been largely cut off. This has caused bootleggers to turn to smuggling; but with the Coast Guard impudently getting this situation in control the prospect for obtaining liquor from overseas is growing dimmer daily.

R. A. Haynes, Federal Prohibition Commissioner, said that the more general realization that over 90 per cent of the so-called bootleg liquor being sold is poisoning, was also contributing factor in bringing about victory of law and order over the outlawed liquor traffickers.

"Jail sentences," said Mr. Haynes, "are proving real deterrent to law breaking. The violator may pay a fine and continue in business in a different locality under a different name, until again apprehended. But when he is put in jail his activities are at an end, his income stops, and he has an opportunity to reflect upon the importance of upholding the Constitution." Commissioner Haynes continued:

"Cooperation between Federal and State authorities is improving. All forces for upholding law and order should cooperate. More than 177,000 arrests have been made by the Federal authorities during the last three years. During the same period violators have been sentenced in Federal courts to serve an aggregate of nearly 7,000 years.

"More than 400,000 stills and parts of stills and about 39,000,000 gallons of distilled spirits, malt liquors, wine, etc., have been seized during the last 3 years. A total of 11,077 automobiles and 414 boats and launches have been captured.

"During this period, more than 138,300 criminal cases have been taken to Federal Courts. Of this number, over 120,000 have been terminated, resulting in more than 201,300 convictions.

"Thousands of other cases have been turned into local courts, of which there is no complete record. Fines of nearly \$18,000,000 have been imposed, over \$12,300,000 of which has actually been collected and turned into the United States Treasury. Last year alone, the fines, forfeitures, etc., imposed totaled over \$7,000,000, of which more than \$5,000,000 has already been collected. In addition, about \$1,000,000 was paid by brewers during the year in compromise of civil liabilities. Tax penalty figures are not yet compiled, but will swell the total collection considerably.

"The injunction, or 'padlock' is another effective weapon. Injunction cases have been instituted in both Federal and State courts. Since July 1922 over 4,000 such cases have been instituted. In more than 3200 cases injunctions were granted, over 2,650 of which have been made permanent. Particular attention has been devoted to securing injunctions in brewery cases. About 180 such cases have been instituted against breweries. Of those granted, 72 have been made permanent, and 20 breweries have been actually closed.

"Many important cases have been prosecuted under the provisions of the Criminal Code for conspiracy to violate the law. The heaviest penalty ever imposed in any one case was for conspiracy and involved a fine of \$21,000 and a sentence of 20 years in jail.

"A well organized permit system has effectually curbed the leap from bonded warehouses. There has been a reduction in withdrawals of about 7,000,000 gallons from that in 1921, the first fiscal dry year. Although more industrial alcohol is being used legitimately now than ever, due to expansion in the volume of legitimate alcohol-using industries, diversions to the bootleg trade are decreasing. It is estimated that less than 10 per cent of the entire production is involved in illegal transactions, a substantial quantity of which is later seized and destroyed.

"An extreme reduction in the use of medicinal wines as a beverage has resulted from medicating the wine, rendering medicinal preparations containing wine unfit for beverage use,

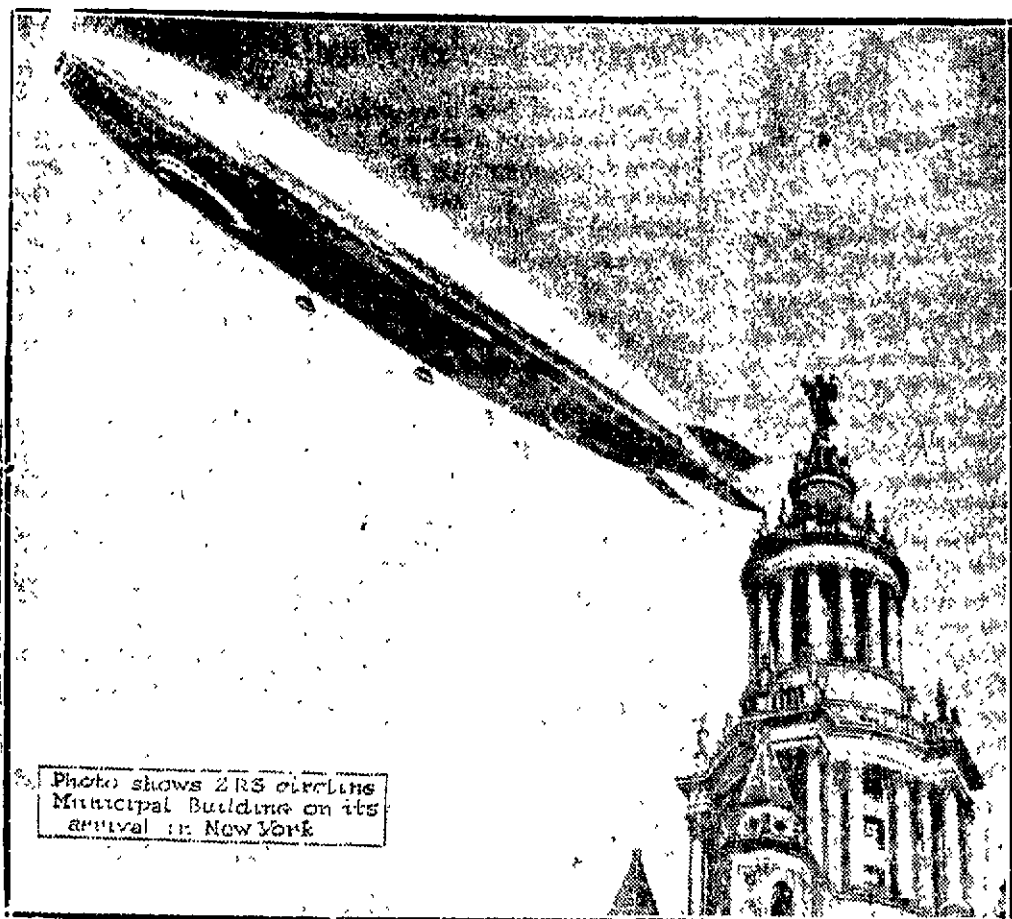


Photo shows 2RS circling Municipal Building on its arrival in New York

Withdrawals of wine during the last year were only a little over 4,000,000 gallons, over half of which was used for sacramental purposes.

"Only about 10 per cent of the application for importation of wine during the last year were approved, all of which was for medicinal or manufacturing purposes. The practice of smuggling exported whiskey back into this country has been practically eliminated by curtailing ex-

portation. Of the applications for exportation of whiskey in the amount of over 4,400,000 gallons during the last year, only about 4 per cent were approved, and none of the whiskey shipped to Canada."

Mr. Cole has reported that during the past year Federal Prohibition Agents in Texas have made 1,783 cases, which have resulted in fines of more than \$106,000, and prison sentences of 64 years, 1 month, and

23 days. There is an increasing measure of cooperation with State authorities. The policy which is being followed is for all offenders apprehended by State officers to be prosecuted in the State Courts, unless for local reasons effective prosecution can not be had. No record is kept of many hundreds of cases which have been turned into the local courts by Federal officers. It is believed that on the whole the enforce-

ment of Prohibition laws is carried on more effectively than ever before and that there is a constantly increasing respect for the law among all classes. This would be more noticeable on the part of the public if the same amount of prosecutions as is given to operations of liquor law violators.

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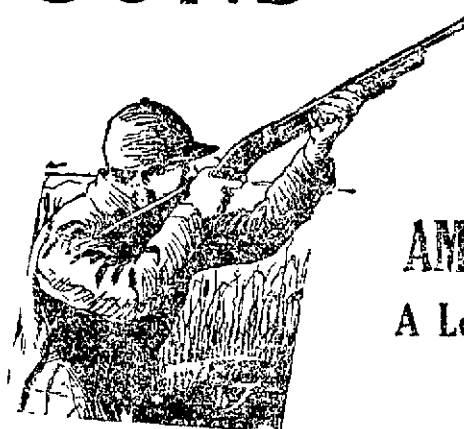
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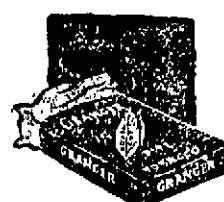
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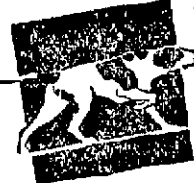
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To be Captain—Clarence (Dutch) Flory, Smithville. Gerald Stafford, San Antonio. Taylor Black, Bartow.

To be First Lieutenant—Charles Moore, Temple.

To be Second Lieutenant—John C. Stitt, Blooming Grove. John D. Boyd, Paris. Maurice Ivey, Taft. Arthur Dietert, Kerrville. James Motte, Taft. Roquey Jobs, Junction.

To be First Sergeant—Clyde Moore, Temple. Claud Boykin, Taft. Ernest Ford, Blooming Grove.

To be Sergeant—James Tenney, Monteville. Aln. James Rothrock, Kerrville. John Shive, Waxahatchie. Jack Davenport, Center Point. Shelbourne Carmack, Bristol, Va. Dudley Johnson, Taft.

To be Corporal—A. P. Edwards, Tahoka. Olin Teer, Edna. George Lee Allen, Bartow. DeWitt Carmichael, Smithville. Thomas Corley, Mexia. Jackson Humes, Mettson.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Dee Young by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the 1st Monday in December A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of December A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of October A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5119-A, wherein Grace Young is Plaintiff and Dee Young is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff sues defendant for divorce on the grounds of cruel and harsh treatment of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable, plaintiff prays for divorce and such other and further relief as the Court may grant under the proof.

Herein said Dee Young and before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with you return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 18th day of October A. D. 1924.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD, Clerk.

# Industrial Training At San Marcos School

SAN MARCOS, Texas, Oct. 17.—Due to the fact that an unusually large number of junior high schools are being established throughout the state of Texas, the Southwest Texas State Teachers College is making a special study through its Industrial Arts Department of the many problems that are confronting the high schools offering vocational courses.

This fall there are a greater number of students enrolled in the industrial arts than any previous year, and Prof. W. R. Bouchor, head of the Industrial Arts Department, has carefully planned a vocational course that is especially fitted to train college students to go into high schools of the state and carry out a standard course in vocational guidance.

The Industrial Arts Department has extended its work into the grammar school grades of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College Training School, where a group of boys are being given a course in wood work, auto-mechanics, plumbing, and electrical wiring, the latter to finish the year's work. In each phase of the work the boys are giving much of their time to actual jobs, thereby learning through experience.

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# HOME DRESSMAKING

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An Important Accessory



Waistcoat Blouse Buttoning in Front

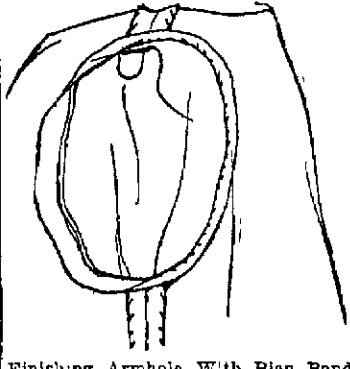
An accessory that completes and perfects the fashionable wardrobe is this waistcoat blouse, which buttons in front and may have either long or short sleeves. Notched collar and set-in pockets are other important details.

The modishness of the waistcoat was never so strongly accepted as it is this season when Fashion is devoting much attention to the tailleur. This design lends itself to development in the broadest silks, striped flannels, tapestry fabrics and novelty velvets, all of which look well under a straight jacket or two blouse. The blouse is bound with plain silk braid and is belted across the back. It calls for two yards of material 36 inches wide.

The home dressmaker may reproduce this blouse with complete success, giving it the smartly tailored effect of the original model. After the shoulder and under-arm seams are joined, the sleeve seams are closed and the lower edge of the sleeve bound with braid. Fold the

braid in half, place the edge of the sleeve on the fold, back and sew, either by hand or on the machine. Then sew sleeves into the armhole, matching the top of the sleeve with the shoulder seam and the seam of the sleeve with the under-arm seam of the blouse. After sewing in the sleeve, bind with a bias facing as shown in the diagram. Cut the facing twice the width that it is to be when finished. Sew to the sleeve seam, holding the garment toward you. Then turn to the inside of the sleeve, turn under the edge of the bias facing and baste. Sew down closely with fine hemming stitches.

The belt sections of the blouse should be faced with self-material and attached to the underarm seams.



Finishing Armhole With Bias Band

If preferred, the blouse may be bound with braid of contrasting color. The two-tone effects are particularly smart for waistcoat blouses worn with sport costumes.

Fashion pays very careful attention to the accessories this season, because they are the smart little touches that mean so much to the severely plain dress or costume. This waistcoat blouse may be reproduced in lace to be worn with a tailleur of velvet or suede cloth. In fact in offers countless opportunities for giving variety to one's wardrobe.

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# DR. JOHN BLACK HUDSON VISITS MOTHER AND BROTHER

Dr. John Black Hudson, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Victoria, spent several days of the past week in Mexia visiting his mother and his brother, Dr. E. H. Hudson. He preached at the First Presbyterian church Sunday, both morning and

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Dr. Hudson left for Waco Monday morning, thence to his home in Victoria.

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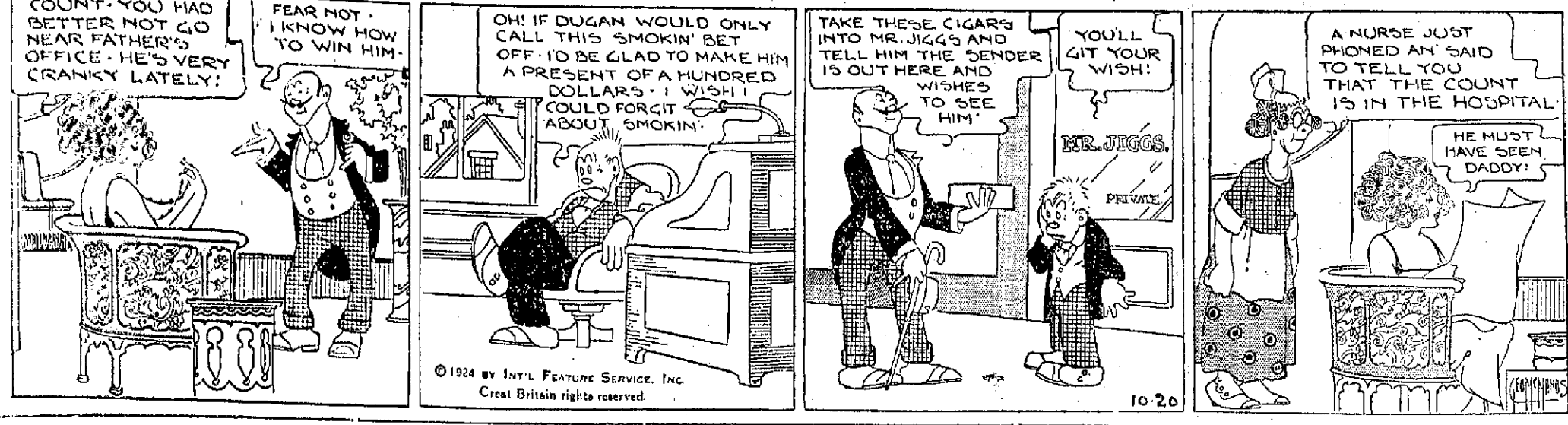


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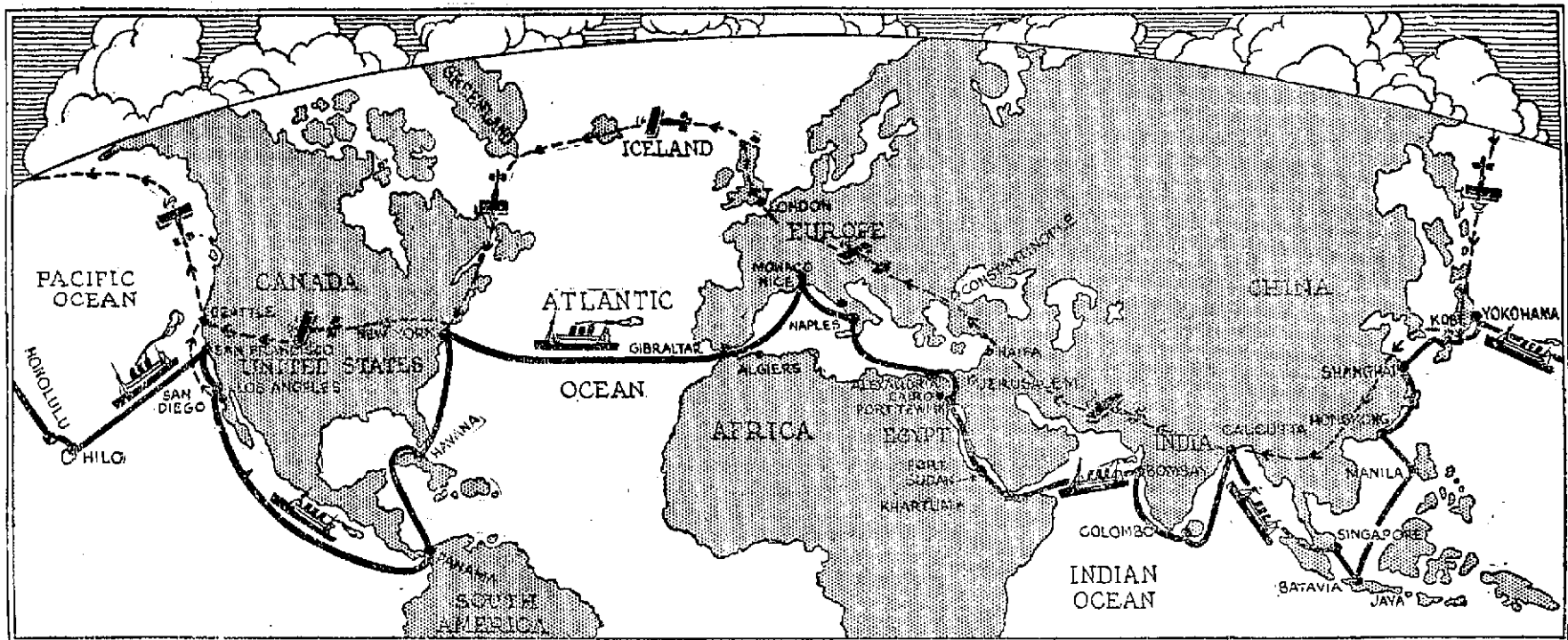
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LOST—on streets of Mexia, pair brown rimmed glasses. Finder please return to News Office. D-19-3  
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## Steamship Still Faster Than Airplane in Globe Circuit



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FOR round-the-world travel the big steamship, even when on a pleasure voyage, can still outstrip the airplane.

Flying against time, straining every nerve to circle the globe in the fastest possible time, the U.S. Army airmen recently completed the first air trip around the world in 169 days.

The forthcoming westward voyage of the largest ship ever to circumnavigate the globe, the Belgeland, of the Red Star Line, has a fixed schedule, on a leisurely basis of 183 days, with stops in 14 different countries, and visits arranged for her passengers to 60 different cities.

The day may not be distant when those who wish to encircle the globe by air may find facilities for doing so in approximately 300 hours, the actual flying time of Lieutenant Lowell H. Smith and his companions, but even then the air traveler will have little more opportunity to "see the world" than did the tired flyers, who usually fell asleep immediately on reaching ground.

Tourists who are planning to start westward around the world from New York in December on the Belgeland checked the progress of the Army airmen day by day against their own itinerary, according to Dr. Clinton L. Babcock of the travel department of the American Express Company, New York.

"The tourists found relatively few points on their own route that were touched by the airmen," said Dr. Babcock. "Until the flying machine can be operated at slow speed as well as fast, and can be handled on landing and when starting with the same precision as a steamship, there must continue to be a great difference between the air route and the tourist route around the world.

The airmen must find the shortest distances between practicable objectives. He must dash on amidst rain and fog and snow, heat and the dust storms of deserts, for he cannot safely stop, except at stated places, prepared for his landing in advance.

"The world-girdling steamship goes easily along—speed records are never sought on world cruises—and her course is directed to the points on the earth's surface where the passengers will see the most of the cities, temples and monuments to older civilizations, landing at the greatest ports, where they will find the most picturesque phases of life in foreign lands. In fact, the tourist seeks the longest way, amidst the pleasantest surroundings and the wildest weather, while the aviator of today must rush on, almost blindly at times, over wild and inhospitable lands, seeing nothing but a blur of earth or water beneath him.

"Our flyers cut corners, so to speak, flying far north when crossing the Pacific and the Atlantic, in order to reduce the length of their trips over open sea. Tokio, reached after a long upward curve along the outlying Alaskan and Siberian Islands, and Japan, was the first point reached by them after leaving the United States where they came across the path of the luxury liners that cruise around the world. Their route again touched that of the world-girdling ships at Shanghai, but not again until Calcutta was reached.

"From India the aviators struck off inland to Persia, and across Mesopotamia, Arabia, Turkey, the Balkans, and Middle Europe, to France and England. Their hop across the Atlantic again took them far out of the tourist lanes by way of the North of Scotland, Iceland, Greenland and Labrador, and it was not until they flew high over the skyscrapers of New York that they again crossed the tourist path.

"The course of the Belgeland, like that of the aviators, is westward, but always in temperate or semi-tropical latitudes. After leaving New York she will touch at Havana, pass through the Panama Canal, enter the harbors of Los Angeles and San Francisco, and proceed thence across the Pacific, to Hawaii, Japan, China, the Philippines, India, Ceylon, Egypt, the Holy Land, Italy, the Riviera, and Gibraltar, steaming 28,000 miles in 133 days. The distance covered by the Army flyers in 169 days was about 1,000 miles less.

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**From the People**  
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**THANKFUL PRAISE.**  
You have so often heard of the expression—"Showers of Blessings." What could be said along this line would fill many pages. Of all cities or communities that has had her cup of Blessings filled to overflowing it is Mexia through the coming of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church.

For those that are unmindful of the spiritual welfare and influence in a given section we must refer to the well known fact and question "would you want to live in a city or town where there were no churches. You would not—we all know that. Then on the other hand, how glorious and how wonderful to have the very essence, the cream, so to speak, of many churches and their great teachers to come and be in your midst for an entire week. Speaking and

spreading the gospel of light and truth among us. No value can be placed on such service and on such blessings for they, like the water that lives on through ages, their good work will live long after this generation goes down in the maelstrom of time and ceases to be known for any particular service to mankind. Influence is lasting, time neither diminishes its power nor tarnishes its glory. That is influence that is good and for the good of man. It has been said equally well that "the evil men do live after them." So it is true as to the good. The good lives and flourishes as the green bay tree to bring forth much fruit in due time. This good influence is handed down the ages from you and your children to those unknown and unborn. Like unto a ripple on the water from a stone cast—the circles reach to all quarters of the pool till the cycle of time alone knows his boundless reach.

Is it not well then that we—as citizens of a community so blessed give thanks not only in public, in our churches, but by all manner of publicity in our papers and by power of voice on the highways of life that the most good can come and will come out of this great out-pouring of spiritual enlightenment that has so happily come our way.

"As ye received so will ye give." The happy man is he who gives—not he who gathers all and holds, for Blessings like happiness come to him who gives to a waiting and hungry world that for which it hungers. It has so well been said "give to the world and it will give back to you many fold." This is truer of such blessings as we have just received than of any other form of beneficence.

Our city will be a bigger and better place in which to live just because the synod was with us—you and I and our neighbors will be bet-

ter men and women and better neighbors because the Synod was here.

We cannot see all the blessings, not that they were, or are physical, but that God performs his wonders in various and mysterious ways at times and it is not well that we know all.

Just know that we are better and finer for this great out-pouring of a great spiritual blessing. The atmosphere is rarer, the association of friend and acquaintance is sweeter, the mingling of men in business in

the marts of trade is fairer and the birds sing sweeter than ever before. Why? Because we have been in touch with the infinite—with the God above for he hath said "By my works ye shall know me."

So rejoice, O you people, and pass on to a waiting world the blessings you have so bountifully received. That ye may it return see a newer and a brighter life that shines for the morrow and for all mankind.

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## St. Paul Normal And Industrial Institute Hold Initial Program

Less than a mile south of town Sunday afternoon a large concourse of negroes assembled for what was to have been the cornerstone laying ceremonies of St. Paul Normal and Industrial Institute, being built by the Primitive Baptist church of that race. Quite a number of their white friends from town gathered with them. On account of the state wide educational conference of the Primitive Baptist church, colored, within the next three weeks, which is to meet here, President Forman, who served Sunday as Master of Ceremonies, stated the formal laying of the cornerstone would be deferred until then, to enable many of the friends of the institution to be present.

President Forman of the Board called the meeting to order and a couple of songs were joined in with fervor by the gathering, followed by prayer.

In the absence of J. K. Hughes, who was to have delivered the address of welcome on behalf of their white friends in Mexico, A. Garland Adair was called upon. He stated that he regretted very much that Mr. Hughes was out of the city, as he was sure that he would have grasped the opportunity gladly to speak a word for the encouragement of the race and for the betterment of the state, and also because he, Mr. Hughes, was able to do more than merely talk when he favored an enterprise but, Mr. Adair continued, "It is a privilege to be present at the birth of anything worthy in this life. How commended are the emotions and sentiments that fill the souls of those nearby when a little child is born. They peer into the future, in the glare from the lamp of experience behind them, and see that infant grow and mature, rise in its cradle, toddle across the floor, and finally ascend the hill of life until the peak is reached, when it then descends with faltering and unsteady step until it reaches the grave, and how fervent is their prayer that it may all along walk the path of rectitude and honor."

"And likewise when we see a worthy institution coming into being, as we are seeing today on this lovely hill top, our emotions are moved and we sincerely lift our voices in supplication to Him on High to the end that this school may be a benediction to the denomination backing it, an honor to the ministers and committeemen who have nursed it to this good hour, a credit to the race to be trained here and thus a blessing to all the state and nation. No better location could have been secured, high and dry it overlooks our beloved and beautiful community, and just as water runs down from all sides from this building, may streams of righteous influence pour down from here to enrich the lives of all who come in contact with it."

"Mexico welcomes this institution, knowing that it is to be founded on principles eternal and principles that will be found worthy in the stress and storm of the unborn years. Institutions like governments must have a foundation, a cornerstone firm and secure. Our government is founded on the Home, the Church, the School and Constitutional government. This institution to thrive, to flourish, to grow and bless the world must be founded on courage, honesty, righteousness, industry, service and trust in Christ."

The speaker pointed out that a man who merely met his obligation with his fellow man was not honest all the way. He ought to do that but in addition to that, he should pay his account with God. In this connection he urged that every one concerned about the St. Paul

## MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Above: BETTY COMPTON & THELMA MORGAN CONVERSE. Below: ROBERT E. GROVE & JACKIE COOGAN.

Betty Compson, motion picture actress, and James Cruz, film actor, were supposed to be married in Betty's home town, Fresno, Utah, in November, but they have already been married in Hollywood, Cal. Jackie Coogan, child screen star, touring the world, has been stricken with chicken pox in the Near East. Unsatisfied with the life sentences imposed on Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, Jr., for the murder of Robert Franks in Chicago, State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe is contemplating prosecuting them for the murder of Fredman Tracy, who was mysteriously murdered near their homes a year ago. Mrs. Thelma Morgan Converse, daughter of the American Consul to Brussels and sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, has left the movie flat in Hollywood because 9 o'clock in the morning seemed too early to report for duty.

Normal and Industrial Institute should do his and her best, whether great or small, and thus join heartily with Rev. Wilbur Thomas, Thornton Carter and the others who were backing the movement.

Rev. Wilbur Thomas responded to the welcome, going into some of the details concerning the location of the normal and industrial institute at Mexico. He stated that the institute had been in the hearts and minds of a few of them for several years and that they had worked with it as their chief thought, during all this time. There had all along been a desire to locate the institution here, however, decisions had been made at first to locate it at Corsicana, North; then at Doyle, South; then back to Corsicana and finally Mexico was definitely chosen, because of the encouragement given by their friends, whites and colored, here.

J. Sanford Smith of the Prendergast Smith Bank representing the business interests of Mexico was given a glad hearing when he encouraged them in their project, stating that he expected to see developed here one of the best institutions of its kind that the race boasted of in Texas; that it was a movement to

be most heartily commended; that they could count on the cooperation of their white friends in the business district of Mexico to assist them, and that he was very happy to have had a part in locating the normal at Mexico.

It was explained how Mr. Smith had gotten in touch with Wilbur Thomas and others and urged them to locate the school here.

The gathering was very much pleased with this information.

W. A. Buckner, of Buckner and Wright, also representing the business district of Mexico, spoke encouragingly and commended the denomination for its movement. He stated that he would be found ready at all times to cooperate with them in the development of their plans. Their appreciation of his remarks was noted in the general and generous applause.

Thornton Carter of the Committee to raise the finances needed concluded the program with an appeal for the financial help of everyone, stating that he was going to do his very best to make the institute a success. This appeal and further work by the committee will, no doubt, net quite a sum for the project.

## BANKER-FARMER CONFERENCE AT A. & M. COLLEGE DEC. 15

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 20.—Pertinent problems of agricultural economics have been selected to compose the program of the fifth annual Banker-Farmer Conference which will be held at the A. & M. College of Texas December 15 and 16. The program was arranged in a conference of Texas bankers, a representative of the American Bankers' Association, officials of the A. & M. College of Texas, and Dean W. R. Dedson of Louisiana State University, held at College Station this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jere Cason returned this morning from Dallas, where they visited relatives.

The foundation for the \$30,000 main building has already been laid and the walls are now going up. J. C. Hodges of this city has the contract. The campus secured is just outside of the city on what is known as the old Broadnax place. It consists of 33 acres.

Hardy Eubanks, President of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce, was unable to be present at the initial service Sunday, on account of his recent illness. However, he sent greetings and good will and encouragement through others of the business district.

## SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

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## THIRD TOURNAMENT TO START TODAY

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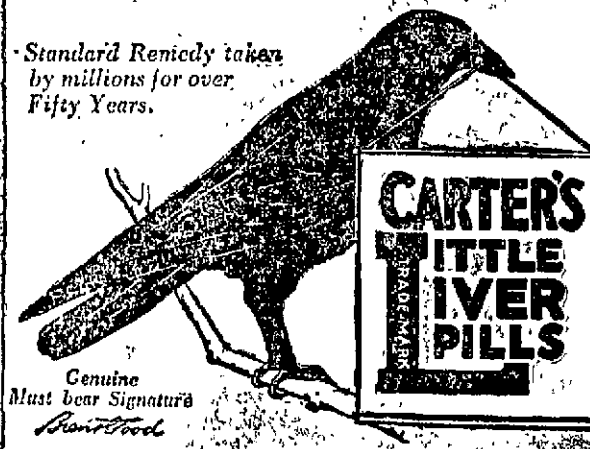
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## MARRS CHARGES FRAUD IN HOPKINS COUNTY SCHOOLS

### TREMORS SHAKE TWO COUNTIES FOR SEVERAL MINUTES

(By United Press)  
SPARTANBURG, Oct. 20.—The Spar-Piedmont section of South Carolina was severely shaken by an earthquake early this morning. Tremors were felt for several minutes in Spartanburg and Greenville counties. Windows rattled and pictures were dropped from walls. The quake was general in a radius of one hundred miles and indicates. The amount of damage is not known.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—"Don't believe it was an earthquake. My instruments did not show anything at that time" Father Tondroff, seismographist at Georgetown University, said regarding the reported quake in South Carolina. "It may have been a landslide," he added.

### Evangelist Has A Busy Sunday

The McKinney Auditorium meeting is in full swing. Evangelist Carter is preaching some of the very best services ever preached in Mexia. He is a power for God and His cause. The auditorium was full to overflowing last night. You are invited to come and see for yourself, if the gospel is being preached. Evangelist Carter has traveled in 18 states, has had about four thousand additions to the church, in the 27 years as an evangelist. Yesterday he preached three times attended to the Baptizing and married a couple, Mr. Tom Cannon and Miss Lavern Managhan of Thornton.

### ALONG THE SIDE LINES

(By United Press)  
NEW HAVEN.—Yale escaped whole skinned from her game with Dartmouth and Coach Jones indicated he would put the varsity through a heavy practice today.

PRINCETON.—With Buzz Stout and Ed McMillan back in the lineup after a week's rest the Tigers will start a week of hard drilling for the Notre Dame game Saturday. The squad came through the Navy game in good shape.

CAMBRIDGE.—Harvard will spend the week in perfecting the defense for Dartmouth's reverse plays and forward passes which scouts reported as the most dangerous of the Green's offense.

ANNAPOLIS.—The Middies suffered heavy casualties in the Princeton game and six men were on the hospital list today one of whom the veteran tackle Clyde, will be out of the line up for the rest of the season. The other five have badly injured noses, but their loss will probably not be permanent.

URBANA, Ill.—Although critics have practically conceded the 1924 Conference championship to Illinois Coach Bob Zupple, taking no chance, warned his team against over confidence in the hard games to follow.

CHICAGO.—The Maroons, with their first conference game registered as a win, started drilling today for the Ohio State game next Saturday. Several substitutes will be given a chance.

EVANSTON.—Northwestern's disappointing defeat at the hands of Purdue left the team in good physical condition and the morale of Coach Thistlewaite's eleven rose today. The men believe they lost on "boners."

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—That football interest is not lagging at Notre Dame was demonstrated when the "fighting Irish" returned from their victory over the Army Saturday. One of the biggest demonstrations in the history of the school was staged.

MADISON, Wis.—The tie score with Minnesota Saturday although it was a great disappointment to the Badgers, convinced Jack Ryan that he has a fighting aggregation.

Was Wireless Operator on Board ZR-3.



WILLY SPECK  
Above is pictured Willy Speck, chief German radio operator on the ZR-3 on its transatlantic flight, and he kept the big vessel in constant touch with the outside world.

### Intervention Is Awaited In Tong War In The U. S.

(By United Press)  
NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—All efforts at mediation in the tong war in the East have failed and the next step must be federal intervention and deportation of those responsible for the continuation of the murderous feud. Inspector Alfred W. Brough, of the Chinese Bureau of the Immigration Service, declared today.

With word of murder of a Chinese in Detroit, the latest victim of rivalry between the On Leong and Hip Sing Tong, there was fresh activity by police and detectives here to prevent an outbreak of vengeance. Leaders of the On Leongs refused to meet those of the Hips in a peace parley this week-end. As a result Inspector Brough announced he will exert all his influence to bring deportation into play to end the strife. Any Chinese found carrying weapons illegally will be made liable to deportation as a "dangerous radical," he said, and it may be possible even to resort to wholesale deportations of tong leaders.

It developed today that the tong war has a Canadian angle and an investigation has been begun at Ottawa. Reports are that it was a "sequel" in connection with the smuggling of Chinese across the Canadian border into the United States that led to the first killing in the present phase of the feud.

### DOHENY CASE SET FOR NEXT TUESDAY

(By United Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—After a suspension of 24 hours the government's suit against E. L. Doheny, seeking to break the Elk Hill naval reserve lease given the Pan-American Oil Company by former Secretary of the Interior Fall, will be resumed here Tuesday. The suit, involving \$100,000,000 worth of oil properties in Central California was scheduled to open this morning, but was postponed due to the crowded calendar.

### NABISCO BEING SUED AS A MONOPOLY

(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Supreme Court denied the petition of the Federal Trade Commission for a review of its suit charging the National Biscuit Company with monopoly in restraint of trade in that it sold its products to chain of stores systems cheaper than to individual grocers.

### WOMAN DIES IN CEMETERY WITH HER THROAT CUT

(By United Press)  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 20.—With her throat slashed and several empty vials near by, Mrs. Bessie Marsh was found near death in the city cemetery Sunday night. A pet bull dog was standing near the body with a slashed throat. A razor case minus the razor was found near the body with a note directing the funeral.

### MEXIA OBSERVES GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY THE 19TH

Sunday was "Go to church Sunday." Mexia joined the communities of America in the movement and larger than usual congregations met in all Mexia churches.

The Baptists held their morning service at the church but the evening service was held in the big tent at the corner of Paris and Main. The big tent revival is being widely advertised by autoists. Cars bearing the sign "Big Tent Revival at Mexia" are numbered by the scores and on every hand these placards are seen. The preaching is being done by the Pastor, Rev. Joe Jeffers and three choirs have been organized by Assistant Paul B. Harper. The first ten service was marked by a big congregation pointing to larger attendance as the revival gets under way.

Another revival is under way at the McKinney Street School building, conducted by Elder Carter of the Church of Christ.

At the Central Presbyterian church special features were conducted for the young people.

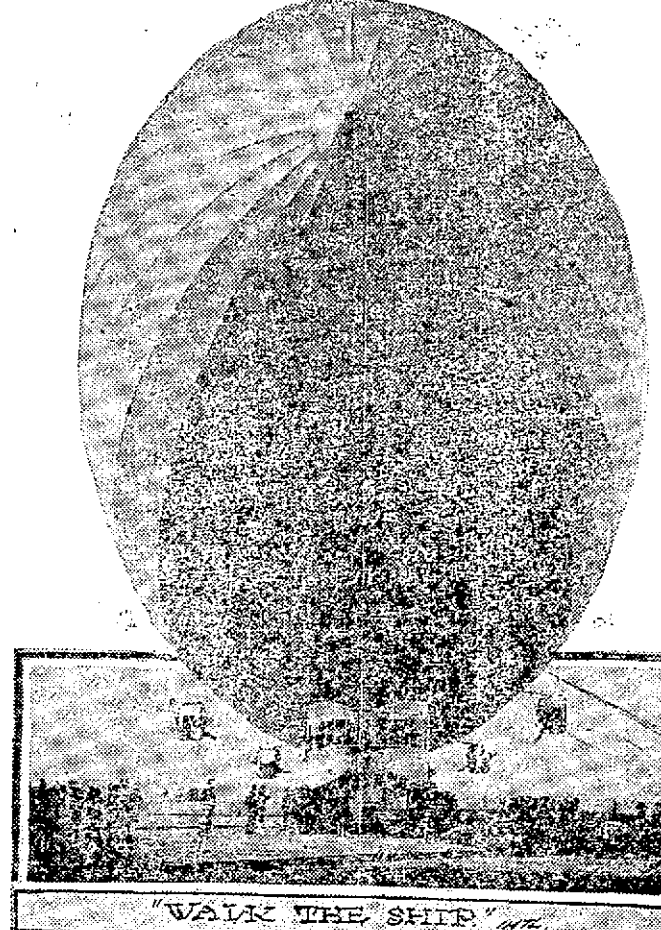
At the First Presbyterian church Rev. John Hudson, of Victoria, brother of the pastor, Rev. E. H. Hudson, preached at both morning and evening services.

Rev. W. B. Andrews, pastor of the First Methodist church, occupied his pulpit at both hours. The morning service was especially well attended, the overflow being provided for in the Sunday School room. At this service, Noel Hollingsworth, chairman of the Board of Stewards, made a brief talk on the need of church members to cooperate heartily with the Sunday school, which he pointed out was the second most important part of church life. He said that the preaching service was the most important and that the Sunday school came next, as it furnished the vast majority of church members. The speaker pointed out that there was a time when Sunday schools were considered effeminate and designed for the women and children, but this is not true. Today, a vast majority of the leaders in public life in this country are attendants at Sunday school and many of them are teachers.

### TRIAL BY JURY UPHELD BY S. C.

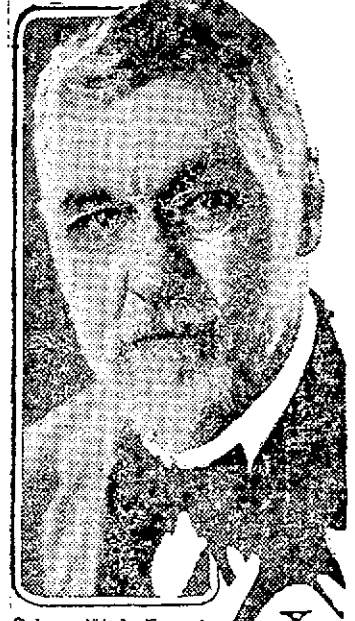
(By United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The United States Supreme Court ruled as constitutional the section of the Clayton act which prescribes trial by jury for strike breakers charged with contempt of court.

### ZR-3 ENTERING LAKEHURST HANGAR.



"Walk the ship" was the command given the ground crew that seized guy ropes and walked the ZR-3 into her hangar at Lakehurst, N. J., at the end of her record breaking flight from Friedrichshafen, Germany, 6,066 miles, which she negotiated in eighty-one hours and seventeen minutes.

### New American Wing



NEW YORK (Special).—A new American Wing to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, containing some of the greatest collections of early American art and architecture in the world, has just been presented to the museum by its President, Hon. Robert W. de Forest, and Mrs. de Forest. The wing contains fifteen rooms which are replicas of characteristic rooms from the time of the Pilgrims onward. They have been installed with the identical woodwork, walls, ceilings, window casings, and even old bricks taken from the original rooms. Each of the rooms is furnished as in olden time, and the visitor will be able to walk right through them, for the displays are not set in glass cases. There are wonderful exhibits of early American architecture, furniture, fireplaces, silver, glass, pottery, textiles, as well as paintings in appropriate settings.

### Most Valuable Player On Black Cat Squad To Receive Beautiful Cup

Several football enthusiasts and local firms have donated a beautiful silver loving cup, to be given the most valuable player on the high school Black Cat football squad at the end of the season. The cup stands 15 inches high on a handsome black walnut base and is beautiful to look upon. The name of the player and his means of winning the cup, etc., will be engraved on the cup when the most valuable player has been voted and decided upon. The cup is now on display in the Anderson and Horn Drug Store window. This will be a treasured prize of the pigskin warrior who is so lucky as to win this distinction, because whoever wins the cup will rightly earn it, as the fighting Black Cats will be drawing lots of attention before the season is over.

Those donating the cup are: W. M. Miller, Anderson and Horn, Mexia Battery and Tire Co., Oasis Confectionery, Piggly Wiggly, American Dry Shop, Frazier Hendrix, Jimmie's Cafe, R. A. Wagner and Dollarhide & Stephens Hardware.

### TRIPLTS BORN AND PRISONER IS RELEASED

(By United Press)  
MESQUITE, Texas, Oct. 20.—Intervention of the stork, which left triplets at the home of Mrs. Robert Hall here Saturday night, brought temporary release to her husband from the state penitentiary today.

One of the babies died Sunday, but the other two will live. The family is destitute.

Hall a world war veteran slightly past 21, was sentenced to a long term in the penitentiary last May in connection with the killing of Winfield Knox, member of a "tick-tacking" party December 31, 1922. Hall went to the penitentiary without guard and was on his way home today alone.

Release of the prisoner for a visit with his family was granted by acting governor T. W. Davidson after a telephonic conversation with Mayor J. F. McCulloch here Sunday. "Sure, I'll parole the boy home. And, say judge, how's the two little babies?" the acting-governor inquired, according to McCulloch.

Attempts will be made to secure a permanent parole for the prisoner, McCulloch said today.

### Cromwell Dance Hall Case Is Still Being Watched

(By United Press)  
CROMWELL, Okla., Oct. 20.—Federal agents found Cromwell, oil boom town, under fire for lax law enforcement, prepared for their visit. Evidence of interstate transportation of women could not be found, and drug and liquor peddlers had departed. Several women from Kansas City arrested, declared that they came here with the understanding that they would be employed as dancing partners.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20.—Two women, Mrs. Mattie Jonas, manager of a dance hall at Cromwell, Oklahoma, and her partner, Mrs. M. L. Soderstrom, are being held here for questioning following their arrest Saturday night enroute to Cromwell with a party of girls from here. The girls told officers it was their duty to "steer" patrons to the bar in the dance hall where liquor was freely dispensed.

### TICKETS IN A. & M. SECTION AT AUSTIN ON SALE NOV. 1

College Station, Texas, October 20.—All applications received for tickets in the A. & M. section for the Thanksgiving football game are being returned to the senders by James Sullivan, business manager of athletics at the A. & M. College of Texas. No applications will be honored before November 1 except from members of the Former Students' Association. They should be mailed so as to reach his office on that date. All seats will be \$2.50 each and there is expected to be no shortage. Unless twelve cents is enclosed for registry the tickets will be mailed at purchaser's risk.

### DALLAS SALESMAN KILLED IN DIFFICULTY

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—C. F. Gowen, 40, Dallas salesman, was shot and instantly killed following an altercation here early today. Police were holding a man for investigation in connection with the shooting. Both had been drinking, officers said.

### STATE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEEWOMAN IS SPENDING DAY HERE

Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth, Democratic Committeewoman from Texas, of Ft. Worth, is visiting friends in Mexia today and Tuesday. Mrs. Bloodworth has many friends here who are happy to have her with them, even if but for a short while.

Baby Killed in Dallas.  
DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—Donald Barrett, three, was crushed to death here Sunday when he became entangled in the drive shaft of a gasoline engine.

### Five-Year-Old Boy Is Mathematical Prodigy.



STUART E. WAGMAN

Mathematical experts have been stumped by the genius of Stuart E. Wagman, five-year-old New York City prodigy. He can tell off hand the day of any week if you give him the calendar date. He can spell any ordinary word in the language and can mentally multiply two and three unit figures, such as 6x87.

### Scholarships Are Awarded Winners In Literary Events

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Scholarships are awarded by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas to students who, at the annual state meet of the University Interscholastic League win first, second, and third honors in the literary events. These scholarships entitle the holders to exemption from matriculation fees on the same basis as affiliated school scholarships awarded to honor graduates. There are now 19 students eligible to receive them for having won awards in debating, extempore speaking, declamation, spelling, and essay writing.

These students are the following: Edwin Davis and Pebbie Alford, Hubbard; Theodore Weiss and Paul Mazur, Breckenridge High (San Antonio); Maxine Ogilvie and Lillie Rosenbaum, Fort Worth; Johnny Gaynes and Pauline Laster, Calvert; Lott Taylor, Laredo; Claud Manning, Groesbeck; Edwin Moffett, San Antonio; Mary Gene Owen, Dallas; Mavis Scott, San Antonio; Helen Greenwood, Navasota; Marjorie Hicks, Port Arthur; Lenola Johnson, Temple; Charlene Bond, Uvalde; Tom Lea, El Paso.

### SAY CAPPER HAS SUPPORT OF KLAN

TOPEKA, Kas., Oct. 20.—United States Senator Arthur Capper, republican of Kansas has the endorsement of the Ku Klux Klan, according to the Klan ticket which was being distributed over the State today. Only three republicans were not endorsed by the Klan.

### FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS.

NEWARK, N. J.—Mickey Walker, world's welterweight champion, and Jack Malone of St. Paul will meet here Wednesday October 30 in a 12-round bout. Luis Angel Firpo will act as second to Mick Ferrara, "the little Firpo" who fights Gordon Munce former national amateur heavyweight champion in the semi-final.

### SPORT TABLOIDS.

LAUREL Md.—Eugene Leigh, Epinephrine's trainer announced the French colt would be shipped to New York this week to sail for France within a fortnight Epinephrine came out of Saturday's race in which he finished fifth, with a cracked quarter and Leigh says he can not go to the post again this year.

CHICAGO.—Three Indianapolis drivers—Ralph Ormsby, Clarence Kingsley and Wilbur Shaw—finished first, second and third, respectively, in the national 100-mile dirt track championship auto race at the Roby track yesterday. Ormsby's time was 1:28:08 1-5.

Felix Parker and Doyle Perkinson spent Saturday and Sunday in Dallas attending the State Fair. While there they were the guests of Reuben Parker, Jr., who is attending the Terrill School.

### INJUNCTION SUITS BRING TO LIGHT QUESTIONABLE METHODS

(By United Press)  
AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Organized trading in public school certificates in Hopkins county was charged by State School Superintendent Marrs following the bringing of six injunction suits to prevent him from cancelling certificates issued to teachers in rural schools in the vicinity of Sulphur Springs. Investigations disclose, according to Marrs, there had been fraud in the issuance of certificates over a two year period. Twenty nine teachers have recently been cited to appear before Marrs to show why certificates be not cancelled.

### Snobbery To Be Banned, Says Horn

AUSTIN, Oct. 20.—"Greek won't meet Greek" at Texas' new college of technology now in the course of construction at Lubbock.

According to the first bulletin of the new institution received by the state board of control, the organization of Greek letter fraternities is absolutely banned. Elimination of snobbery and class distinction are the reasons given by P. W. Horn, president of the school, in eliminating the fraternities.

The school will be completed in every detail and ready for occupancy in September 1924.

### Old Teacher Dines Her Former Pupil

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 20.—Teacher and pupil of a little rural school in eastern Maine met in Port Arthur one night recently for the first time in 21 years.

Mrs. Joe Corthell was the teacher, and Paul Donovan, chief engineer on the tanker Bald Hill, was the pupil. Donovan chanced to meet the captain of a vessel and hearing the name of Mrs. Corthell, recalled that it was familiar after years of roving the seas in all parts of the world.

Followed a dinner at the Corthell home where the days of "reading, 'rithm and 'rithmetic" were revived again by the teacher and her pupil.

### Fire Plug Law Will Be Strictly Enforced

Fire Chief Pittman states that every fire plug in the business section of the city now has a large board sign attached, warning against parking within the prohibited zone of 15 feet in either direction.

This law will be strictly enforced starting at once; the fine for parking in such places is \$5.00.

It is hoped that the citizens of Mexia will cooperate with the city authorities in enforcing this very necessary measure for the welfare of the city.

### Time Knocks Out This Old Negro

HOUSTON, Oct. 20.—Groans. Moans.

An old negro lying in a deserted yard here at noon. Someone called the police and an ambulance and the old negro was taken to a hospital.

At the hospital he gave his name. His age?

"Somethin' upwards of a hundred, Miss."

What was the matter with him?

"Jes' ol' age a-settin' in mah bones."

### ANOTHER GRADE CROSSING CASUALTY

TEXARKANA, Texas, Oct. 20.—Charles Stewart, 40, was killed and James Smith, seriously injured when their automobile was demolished by a Texas-Pacific passenger train at a grade crossing near here Sunday.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 20.—Theodore Castillo 24, died this morning of pistol wounds inflicted Sunday night at a wedding party. Antonio Oldron, also a guest at the wedding surrendered to officers.



## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones were Dallas Fair visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Morgan were Dallas visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hickman were week-end visitors to Dallas.

Mrs. F. W. Welch was a week-end visitor to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Little son were Dallas visitors Sunday.

W. L. Adamson took in the fair in Dallas last Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Bennett visited Mrs. Waller Cosnahan in Dallas last week and took in the fair.

M. Langston attended the fair in Dallas last Saturday.

L. Miller of Waco was in Mexia on business Monday.

A. D. Holt was here from Henderson Monday.

C. L. Tatum was a Dallas visitor Sunday.

Miss Juanita Wallace, Lillian Wallace and Mavis Ward were visitors in Dallas Saturday.

Misses Ann and Louise Pilcher attended the football game in Dallas Saturday.

Marcus Corley and Clarence Smith attended the football game in Dallas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yehlell attended the fair in Dallas for a few days last week.

Mrs. John Focke and sister-in-law, Miss Anna Focke, of Forest Glade community, attended the big fair last Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. Perkins left Monday morning for Dallas, and also a visit with her mother at McKinney, Texas.

Every one is cordially urged to join in making the Mexia Trade Tour and Good Will Expedition a great success. Of course, you'll be there.

Mrs. W. K. Boyd, and son Walter Kline, Jr., returned from Dallas Sunday afternoon after a pleasant visit with her two sisters, Mrs. H. P. Dunn and Mrs. R. D. Ringwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vickers formerly of Mexia now living in San Antonio, are the proud parents of a fine girl that arrived at their home last week.

E. L. Smith and son E. L. Jr. returned from Dallas Sunday night after a few days visit there. Mrs. Smith will return the last of the week.

U. H. Morgan was a week-end visitor in Dallas, his wife returned with him after a week visit with her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lott in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Staton, J. Frank Cogdell and granddaughter, Dorothy Cogdell, returned Sunday night from Dallas. Dorothy had been visiting her aunt, Miss Cursuella Cogdell, for several days. The others left here Saturday morning.

# FALL FASHIONS



By CLINTON MORSE.

The American man has decided to take his "English" with modifications. The straight-hanging, loosely draped English type coats of the past two seasons have given way a trifle to a more Americanized type. It is not to be wondered at that the American man, innately proud of the athletic lines that characterize the American figure, should long be reconciled to a style of coat that is anything but flattering to his Apollo-like build. Hence, while English characteristics still show a trace in the coats for this Fall they will be marked by more form-defining lines. This is evidenced by a trifle less shoulder, a little more of the taper to the waist and a bit more trimness to the trousers. The vest, too, has undergone slight modifications.

The severely cut vest that was abruptly straight across the bottom has retired in favor of a model that shows a "V" opening. This is more true of the single-breasted vest than the double-breasted kind and while many double-breasted vests are shown the single-breasted models are to the fore.

On the coats there is very little in the way of ornamental detail. Cuffs are plain, pockets flaps, where shown at all, are of the regulation style. Waist lines are raised a trifle and lapels show more of a tendency toward peaks than the arbitrary roll effects of last Spring. Collars are set just a bit higher than recent models. Hips, in trousers and the skirt of the coat over the hips are not quite so severely straight. Most of the coats are shown without back vents.

Cuff Bottom Trousers to Prevail.

The single-breasted vests are still cut quite high, while the double-breasted vests show a liberal expanse of shirt front. There has been a strong tendency to abandon the cuff at the bottom of trousers. This idea was well in keeping with the English type of trousers, but American men have not taken kindly to the style so this Fall the majority of models revive the cuff.

The suit fabrics for Fall introduce no special novelty weaves. Inasmuch as blue and greys are very popular a great many suits are shown in serges, unfinished worsteds and flannels as these weaves make up

best in the monotone effects. Powder blue, blue-greys and French greys as well as the deeper blue shades are considered very dressy and every man ought have at least one of these in his Fall wardrobe.

In the fancy fabrics we find cassimeres and chevrons most abundantly shown. Next to these come the hard-worsted, vicunas, flannels and tweeds. In the worsteds the patterns are on the sedate order—small figures, cross checks and a few perpendicular stripes. Stripes, by the way, have returned to high popularity for this Fall but the vogue calls for stripes of bolder widths than those we have been accustomed to in the past. There will, of course, be some pin-stripes and pencil stripes but for the most part the really fashionable effects are more on the nature of cable and cord stripes. These effects do not work out well in the tight weaving of worsteds and such patterns this season will be more evident in the more loosely woven goods such as the flannels and other sheared fabrics.

Overplaid are also well placed in the styles for Fall. These are in rather subdued effects. Soft shades of browns and greys with blue or red contrast weaves for cross effect. Greens and tans are not so well favored as heretofore. Even the brown shades retire somewhat in favor of tones of grey and bluish casts.

Wearing Fancy Waistcoats.

Fancy waistcoats are worn with many of these suits and these come largely in the knitted or loosely woven weaves and in brush-up treatments in characterful patterns but not loud effects. Most of these vests are high cut, especially the single-breasted models. Double-breasted models are only a trifle less popular and are cut lower and the lapels as well as the bottom openings are decidedly peaked.

There is no notable change in the full-dress suits. The most notable thing about them is the manner in which they have been forced into the background by the Tuxedo even for very formal occasions. These Tuxedo jackets appear more strictly to the English cut than the work-a-day suit. They are rather square-cut in their modeling and the trousers are ample. The attempt to introduce gray and other quite colors into the Tuxedo coat has not made great headway and cannot be considered seriously in the vogue.

Topcoats to be Plain and Straight.

In Topcoats the sport effects with belts, yokes and other fancy details has almost been crowded off the style map. Plain coats, almost straight in their lines, much of the modelling of the Chesterfield coat but longer is the real modish thing. These coats fall a bit below the knee, have fairly narrow lapels with little peak. For the most part the pockets are plain without flaps but some models for business wear, in contrast to the dressier models for evening wear, have pouch pockets or deeply flapped pockets. Belts are passe except on a few of the rain-coat or motor coat styles.

The fabrics are in knitted textures, loose weaves and vicunas in either plain shades or small, subdued patterns.

There are only four real fashionable types of Overcoats this season. The Town and Country Ulsterette, or what New York calls the Guard Coat seems to be in the lead. This coat has broad peaked lapels and tapers slightly to the waist and then drops from the hip in nearly straight line to the knee or a bit below. Plain or flap pockets are shown on these coats. They are smartest in conventional blue, powder-blue or powder grey.

The Town Ulsters Among the Popular Models.

The Town Ulster is the next style. This is a trifle bigger coat than the ulsterette but not quite as massive as our picture of the Ulster of the old days. It is toned down in many ways. The collars are not cut so deep, the lapels are not so wide and the coat is not quite so long as the old standard ulster of the past. Few of these coats are shown with belts—hardly any with the all-around belts hence where belts are shown at all it is from the side seams across back with plain fronts. Many of

these coats have fancy cuffs and pouch pockets. They are shown principally in winter tweeds and other Scotch fabrics in brown, tan, grey and blue tones.

The box Chesterfield and the regulation Chesterfield make up the other two models. The box Chesterfield is squarer and longer than the conventional type of Chesterfield that we have known for years. It is almost a straight-hanging coat, a rather plain model reaching about 3 to 4 inches below the knee. Some of these have velvet collars.

The Double Breasted Chesterfield for Formal Wear.

The regulation Chesterfield has undergone but little change. We see more of those in the fly-front style than we have seen in many years and more of them with silk facings than heretofore. Another departure is a slight variation from standard Chesterfield lines in a double-breasted model—a very dressy coat and one much favored in the East with evening clothes wear.

L. F. Melster of the Pure Oil Company returned from Tulsa at noon Monday, where he has been for the past two weeks attending the oil exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. Chambers and two children spent the past week-end in Dallas, where they attended the Texas-S. M. U. football



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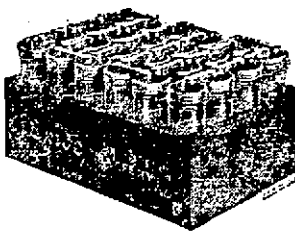
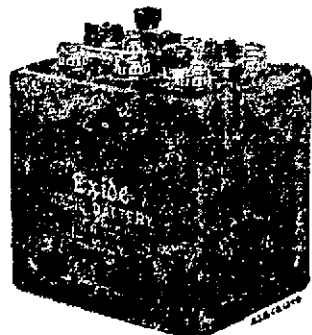
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## Smartness In Dress Depends On Correct Details, Declares Expert



CHICAGO—Careful attention to little details marks the smart woman nowadays, according to Madame Marge, lecturer and recognized authority on women's clothing.

"The skirts are extremely short for fall and winter," said Madame Marge, "and the woman who wishes to be attractively gowned must not only be sure of her skirt length and the cut of her costume, but choose her shoes and stockings to complement her gown."

"With skirts ten and twelve inches from the floor, what could be more unbecoming than an ill-fitting pair of hose conspicuously showing below a trim tailored frock?"

"After a lapse of years the new full-fashioned silk-and-fibre dollar hose restores to women the opportunity to buy expensive looking stockings at such a reasonable figure that they can afford to have a considerable assortment. These hose are fitted in the knitting, making them conform to the ankle trimly and snugly. They come in all colors, either harmonizing or contrasting with any gown, and are appropriate for morning, afternoon or evening wear, for the pretty sheen and fitting qualities compare favorably with the most expensive hose. They are the completing detail of the costume of the young business woman who must appear smart on a limited income."

## PIMPLES



How to get rid of them.

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## Denver Girls Want To Clean Up Booze Selling in Dallas

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 20.—If you can use us on the Dallas police force to catch bootleggers we'll proceed there immediately. So much pressure is being brought to bear here that we've decided to leave.

This is the excerpt from a letter received by Police Chief Claude Trammell from two Amazon "Izzy" Einsteins at Denver who claim to have established a record for catching booze peddlers at so much per head.

"We've been getting on an average of three a day for the last two years and because we've been so active the ring has declared war on us. We can clean up Dallas in a hurry. We are both pretty, shapely, dressy and know our stuff," the letter boasted. The chief said he didn't think much of their offer, asserting his coppers were "doing pretty well."

## HOME PURPOSES OF BAPTISTS PROSPER

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 20.—Home purposes of the 3,626 Baptist Churches in Texas during the period of the Baptist 75 Million Campaign beginning in 1919, received \$16,472,680 through free will offerings, Dr. F. S. Groner, General Secretary of the Executive Board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas reports. This amount was not included in the contributions of the five year program but it was intended that local church expenses should be carried through special offerings for that week.

The gifts to local church expenses are increasing as a direct result of the efforts of the denomination to bring about the success of the Campaign, Dr. Groner said. In the year preceding the Campaign the gifts to local church expenses totaled \$2,151,705 in Texas. During the year which closed May 1, 1924, just five years later, the gifts to local church expenses were \$3,908,889, which is the largest amount used for Home purposes in the history of the denomination in the State.

The gifts during the first four years of the Campaign showed a gradual increase with \$2,183,230 in 1920; \$3,371,519 in 1921; \$3,580,672 in 1922; \$3,428,370 in 1923; that year being the only period during which the growth was halted.

It is expected that the gifts to the Campaign from now until the opening of the Baptist General Convention of Texas in Dallas, November 20, will exceed all gifts during this same period in Texas Baptist History. After that Convention, efforts will be turned toward the 1925 program of the Southern Baptists, in which it is hoped to obtain \$7,000,000 in the seventeen Southern

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### Central Standard Time.

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KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Dance orchestra.  
WMAQ, 6:00 Theater organ recital.  
WOAW, 6:00 Dramatic hour.  
WOAW, 6:30 Dinner program.  
WMAQ, 6:30 Hotel LaSalle orchestra.  
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Seiger's orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.  
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WOAW, 9:00 Concert orchestra.

States and the District of Columbia, which are included in the Southern Baptist territory. The goal which Texas has set for next year is \$1,800,000, of which 58 per cent will go to state work and 42 per cent to South Wide work.

KPO, 9:00 to 9:30 Seiger's orchestra.  
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10:00 to 11:00 p. m.  
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KPO, 10:00 to 11:00 Organ recital.  
KGW, 10:00 Concert orchestra.  
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11:00 p. m. to 12:00.  
KPO, 11:00 to 12:00 Soprano and piano recital.  
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner studio program.

## Advertising Trash Remain In Dallas

(By United Press)  
DALLAS, Oct. 20.—Advertising trash cans on the downtown streets will remain despite the recent protest of the Dallas Retail Merchants Association Mayor Louis Blaylock has decreed.

Merchants recently filed objections to the cans, claiming they were unsightly and allowed a competitor to advertise his wares right in front of his business rival's door.

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Dr. E. R. Biggs, President of Westminster College, has received the following letter from Dean Childs of Trinity University, in fulfillment of an agreement with the committee on standards:

The State Department of Education has given the Committee on Standards and Classification of the Association of Texas Colleges a formal statement of the accrediting for eleven units of Westminster's two years of academy work, and, according to the agreement with the committee at the last meeting of the association Westminster is now entitled to go on the list of Independent Junior Colleges as of first-class rank.

J. H. Park is reported to have sold the building on North McKinney Street, known as the Rex Rooming House to Bud Webb of Personville. Part of the building is being torn down and moved to Personville and part of it being moved to the south part of the city.

Z. Gardner, who is drilling the Speight test, is in the city after an absence of several weeks.

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## "FLAPPER BANDIT" FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER BY PHILADELPHIA JURY

(By United Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Violet Dickerson, 19, "Flapper Bandit" was found guilty of the murder of Louis

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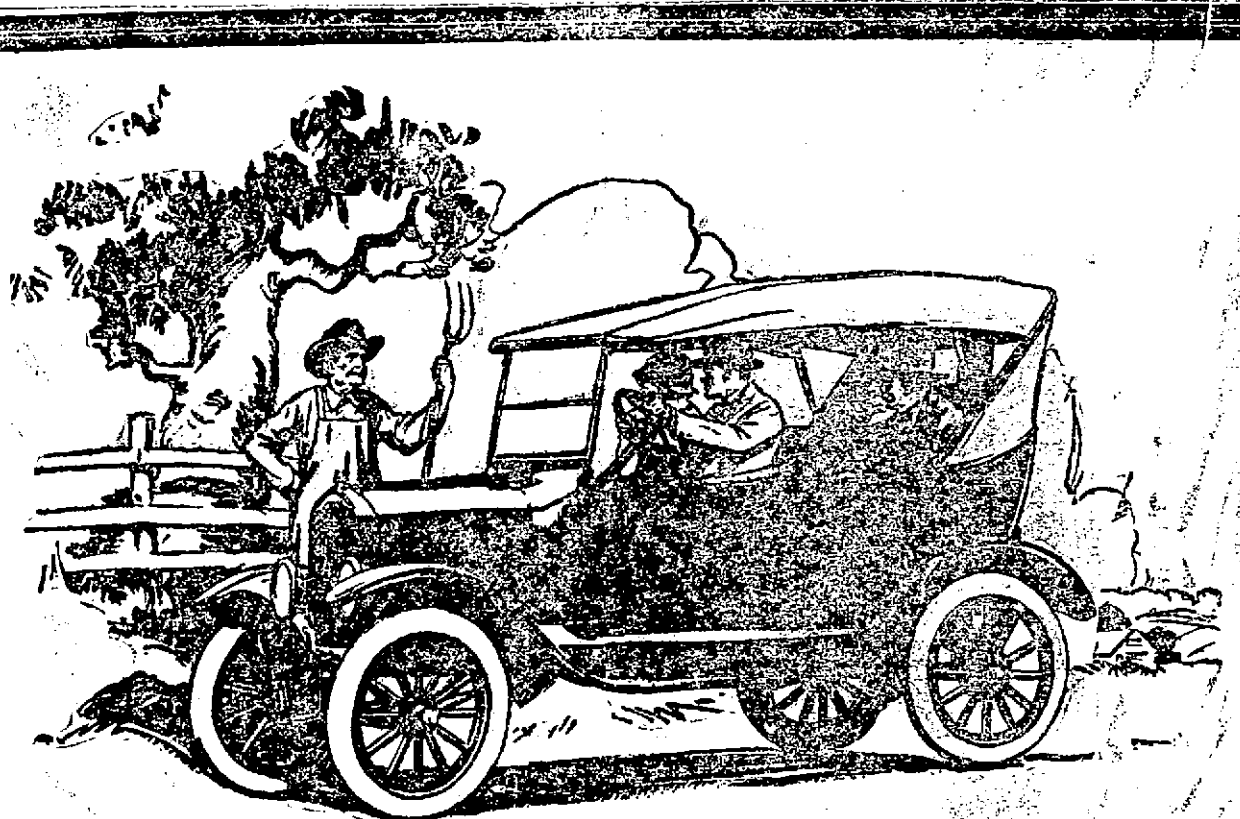
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### YELLOW FEVER IN HOUSTON

Houston was saved from a yellow fever epidemic because of the fact that modern sanitary science has shown the way to prevent such epidemics, according to Dr. Malone Duggan, state health officer.

"Yellow fever is transmitted only through the bite of the yellow fever mosquito," stated Dr. Duggan, "and the fact that it was confined to the one man who brought it to Houston, was due not only to the fast and thorough work done since its discovery, but also to the work done by the city in past years in exterminating mosquitoes. The progress of the city would have been set back 10 or 15 years had an epidemic occurred, and the fact that the city was saved should convince the people of the entire state that mosquito eradication is one of the most valuable and vital of all public concerns."

"As long as yellow fever is endemic in Mexico, there is a potential danger of it getting a foothold in this country. For this reason, it will be necessary for the people of this section of the country to insist upon mosquito eradication and give more consideration to sanitary health regulations."

Dr. Duggan further calls attention to the fact that this is the day of insurance as people take out insurance on everything from their lives to their automobiles, and stresses the fact that public health insurance is more important than any other class of insurance, as it protects not only one person but large districts. "As the money spent by the city of Houston on mosquito eradication is a very small and insignificant sum compared to what a yellow fever epidemic would have cost," states Dr. Duggan, "so is the amount of money spent by any city or community on mosquito control comparatively small to the benefits derived from such expenditures."

"The mosquito is also responsible for the spread of malaria and dengue fever, and any community suffering from epidemics of this character can save itself by killing the mosquitoes. This can best be done by destroying their breeding places, as the mosquito is short-lived. A few hundred dollars spent this way is worth thousands of dollars to any community."

**FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE IN TEXAS UNDER CONTROL**  
The outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease near Houston, Texas, officially confirmed on September 27, was considered under control on October 13, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

The disease has been found in only five herds and there has been no new infection during the past eight days except in one dairy herd of 17 cows in an enclosure adjoining an infected pasture. All the diseased cattle herds have been slaughtered and buried, the last one being disposed of the same day that it was found infected. This prompt disposition of infected animals reduces to a minimum the danger of the virus being spread to other herds. Cleaning and disinfection of infected premises are being pushed vigorously, usually being completed within a few days after the animals have been put under ground.

A short time after eradication work was begun it was ascertained that about 50 estrays had been turned out of a large pasture the day before the animals in that pasture were found infected. As it was very probable that some of these estrays would carry the infection to their home pastures, a thorough round-up was made of the adjoining ranges and a considerable number of cattle slaughtered and buried to prevent further spread of the disease.

## DID YOU KNOW THAT

The Department of Commerce announces that estimates indicate that during the year 1923 highway fatalities in the United States totaled 22,621 or an increase of 3,418 over the previous year.

The 1923 death rate from these highway accidents was 20.4 per 100,000 population as contrasted with 17.6 in 1922. This increase was largely due to the increase of 2,776 deaths in the estimated number of fatalities from automobile accidents. Even the 16,452 deaths charged against the automobile do not tell the whole story, as deaths resulting from collisions between automobiles and railroad trains and between automobiles and street cars are charged to the heavier vehicle.

Two thousand fatalities from such collisions in 1923 is a conservative estimate for the United States. If this figure and the fatalities from motorcycle accidents be added to the figure for automobile accidents, the final 1923 toll from motor machines on highways becomes 18,788, or 83 per cent of all highway fatalities.

Farm club women in other states have bought steam pressure cookers and entered what may be called commercial canning. They go from farm to farm and can for a certain per cent. In this way they soon pay for their own canner and realize an income. It is a lesson for Texas women. The home demonstration agent should be consulted for full information.

The thrifty farmer saves his soil with terraces and by growing winter cover crops. Extension farm agents are ready to show how to throw up the terraces and select the crops for sowing.

## CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS

By N. P. Hous

## THE CITIZEN'S OBLIGATION.

Houston Post.

The Post-Dispatch has no quar-

rel with any man or woman who feels bound by the primary pledge to support "Proxy" Jim for governor.

It is merely concerned in dissipating any existing impression that a citizen is obligated by the conven-

tional primary pledge to violate his or her conscience. A free, intelligent and conscientious vote is the citizen's highest duty to the State, and no other kind of ballot can aid the cause of human liberty or good government.

Public office is not a reward or benefit established for the individual, but a trust to be administered for the benefit of all the people, and the ballot is not a method of distributing favors, but one designed to secure honest and efficient government.

In voting, the citizen's problem is not to bestow a favor upon a candidate, but to safeguard the government and free institutions.

A citizen owes nothing to a party beyond the point where that party is consecrated to good government administered by upright, capable public servants.

When a party ceases to proclaim sound principles, or to advocate wise policies, or to offer leaders of noble character and ample ability, it ceases to deserve the citizen's confidence. When an unworthy person is nominated, the highest duty of the citizen is to defeat him.

That is The Post-Dispatch's view of the situation.

As for Jim Ferguson, he is not a democrat and has never considered himself bound by a primary pledge. He has not even considered himself bound by the sacred oath of office, as the dark record brought out by the court of impeachment proves.

That he is running for governor in his wife's name, being barred by the constitution from holding public office in this State, is a matter so plain that no intelligent person need be misled by the peculiar circum-

stances of the present situation in Texas.

That, if his wife should be elected, he would exercise the power of the office of governor, the constitution to the contrary notwithstanding. We have both his own word and his wife's word for it. Therefore, he would have the power without a vestige of accountability, which would be a dangerous innovation in government, even if he were as pure as the driven snow.

Then the humiliating example he gave as a governor of Texas would become an accepted and approved ideal of official conduct.

He has told us that he has not backed up on anything he may have said or done in the past. That is, he stands by his illegal juggling of the public funds, and by his borrowing of a vast sum of money from the Texas brewers at a time when they were arrayed at the bar of public opinion with the life of their industry at stake. And he stands by his blazing denunciation of the entire democratic party, State and National, and his efforts to destroy it.

It is for the people to say whether they are to discredit the lofty examples of integrity, statesmanship and fidelity which have been given to posterity by such governors as Coke, Roberts, Ross, Hogg, Culbertson and a long line of noble statesmen and place their explicit approval upon Jim Ferguson, the only governor of Texas who ever disgraced his high office or used its exalted powers and influence for sordid ends.

The circumstance that the State is threatened with such a calamity is due to a peculiar situation in which an outrageous statute denied democrats the opportunity to avert it, and

## Negroes Are Now Welcome at Alvin

(By United Press)

ALVIN, Oct. 20.—For many years Alvin has been one of the most unwelcome spots in the state for negroes.

But the old order changeth and the local chamber of commerce with the assistance of Mayor Edwards, have passed resolutions lifting the ban on negroes desiring to live in or near the city. It will be the first time negroes have ever lived in the city. Scarcity of laborers coupled with growing dairy and fig industries is given as the reason for the welcome sign being hung out.

not to the unfettered judgment of the citizenry of Texas.

Those who feel that the primary has forced upon them an offensive pledge, which, in spite of the good name of the party or the honor of the State, they are bound to keep, must follow their own convictions of duty.

But those who feel that their highest obligation is to the State they love may also follow their own convictions and place the seal of their condemnation upon Jim Ferguson and his proxy candidacy.

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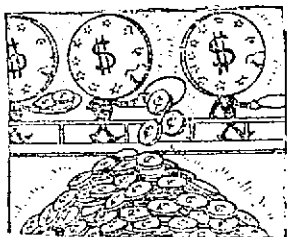
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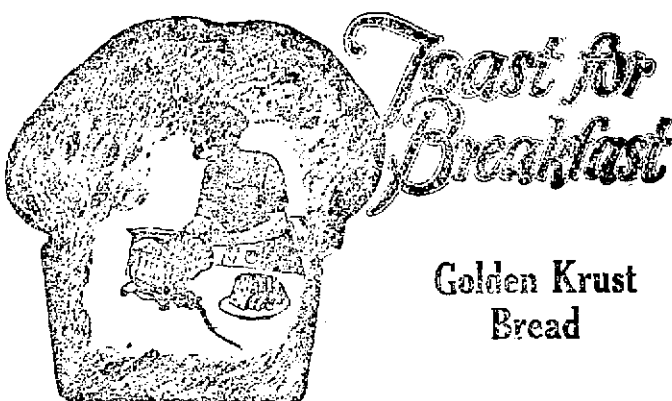
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## Enforcement of Prohi. In Texas

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 20.—Prohibition enforcement is becoming more effective every day, and this improvement in curbing the outlawed liquor traffic is due to better cooperation between Federal and local authorities, imposition of jail sentences instead of fines for violators, more general use of the "padlock" in liquor nuisances, and steps taken toward stopping leaks of liquor from bonded warehouses to the illicit market, according to a resume of prohibition enforcement by the Federal Government during the present administration at Washington, received today by Frank Cole, Federal Prohibition Director for this state.

The report covers the period from June 11, 1921 to September 11, 1924. It shows that the main sources for obtaining genuine liquor in this country have been largely cut off. This has caused bootleggers to turn to smuggling; but with the Coast Guard rapidly getting this situation in control the prospect for obtaining liquor from overseas is growing dimmer daily.

R. A. Haynes, Federal Prohibition Commissioner, said that the more general realization that over 90 per cent of the so-called bootleg liquor being sold is poisoning, was also contributing factor in bringing about victory of law and order over the outlawed liquor traffickers.

"Jail sentences," said Mr. Haynes, "are proving real deterrent to law breaking. The violator may pay a fine and continue in business in a different locality under a different name, until again apprehended. But when he is put in jail his activities are at an end, his income stops, and he has an opportunity to reflect upon the importance of upholding the Constitution." Commissioner Haynes continued:

"Cooperation between Federal and State authorities is improving. All forces for upholding law and order should cooperate. More than 177,000 arrests have been made by the Federal authorities during the last three years. During the same period violators have been sentenced in Federal courts to serve an aggregate of nearly 7,000 years.

"More than 400,000 stills and parts of stills and about 39,000,000 gallons of distilled spirits, malt liquors, wine, etc., have been seized during the last 3 years. A total of 11,077 automobiles and 441 boats and launches have been captured.

"During this period, more than 138,200 criminal cases have been taken to Federal Courts. Of this number, over 120,000 have been terminated, resulting in more than \$4,300 convictions.

"Thousands of other cases have been turned into local courts, of which there is no complete record. Fines of nearly \$18,000,000 have been imposed, over \$12,300,000 of which has actually been collected and turned into the United States Treasury. Last year alone, the fines, forfeitures, etc., imposed totaled over \$7,000,000, of which more than \$5,000,000 has already been collected. In addition, about \$1,000,000 was paid by brewers during the year in compromise of civil liabilities. Tax penalty figures are not yet compiled, but will swell the total collection considerably.

"The injunction, or 'padlock' is another effective weapon. Injunction cases have been instituted in both Federal and State courts. Since July 1922 over 4,000 such cases have been instituted. In more than 3200 cases injunctions were granted, over 2,650 of which have been made permanent. Particular attention has been devoted to securing injunctions in brewery cases. About 180 such cases have been instituted against breweries. Of those granted, 72 have been made permanent, and 29 breweries have been actually closed.

"Many important cases have been prosecuted under the provisions of the Criminal Code for conspiracy to violate the law. The heaviest penalty ever imposed in any one case was for conspiracy and involved a fine of \$21,000 and a sentence of 20 years in jail.

"A well organized permit system has effectually curbed the leap from bonded warehouses. There has been a reduction in withdrawals of about 7,000,000 gallons from that in 1921, the first fiscal dry year. Although more industrial alcohol is being used legitimately now than ever, due to expansion in the volume of legitimate alcohol-using industries, diversions to the bootleg trade are decreasing. It is estimated that less than 10 per cent of the entire production is involved in illegal transactions, a substantial quantity of which is later seized and destroyed.

"An extreme reduction in the use of medicinal wines as a beverage has resulted from medicating the wine, rendering medicinal preparations containing wine unfit for beverage use.

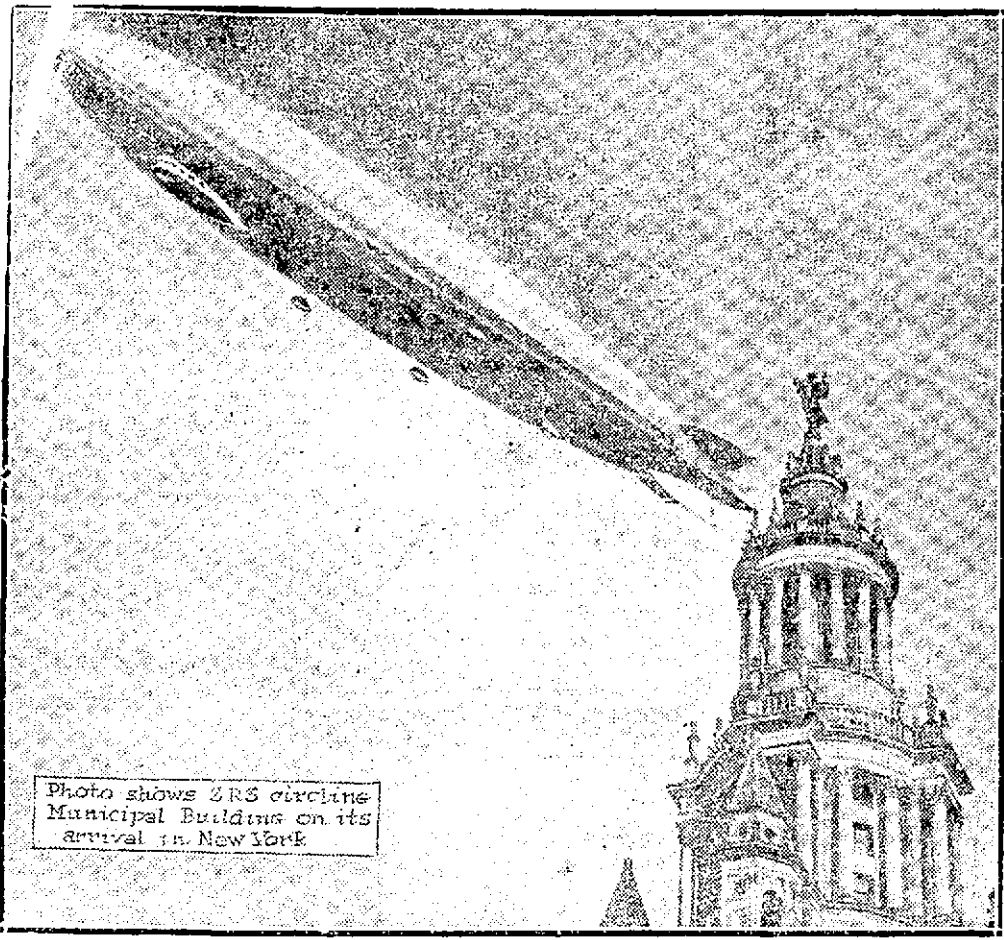


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Withdrawals of wine during the last year were only a little over 4,000,000 gallons, over half of which was used for sacramental purposes.

"Only about 19 per cent of the application for importation of wine during the last year were approved, all of which was for medicinal or manufacturing purposes. The practice of smuggling exported whiskey back into this country has been practically eliminated by curtailing ex-

portation. Of the applications for exportation of whiskey in the amount of over 4,400,000 gallons during the last year, only about 4 per cent were approved, and none of the whiskey shipped to Canada."

Mr. Cole has reported that during the past year Federal Prohibition Agents in Texas have made 1,788 cases, which have resulted in fines of more than \$105,000, and prison sentences of 61 years, 1 month, and

23 days. There is an increasing measure of cooperation with State authorities. The policy which is being followed is for all offenders apprehended by State officers to be prosecuted in the State Courts, unless for local reasons effective prosecution can not be had. No record is kept of many hundreds of cases which have been turned into the local courts by Federal officers. It is believed that on the whole the enforce-

ment of Prohibition laws is carried on more effectively than ever before and that there is a constantly increasing respect for the law among all classes. This would be more noticeable on the part of the public if the same amount of publicity were given to the results of prosecutions as is given to operations of liquor law violators.

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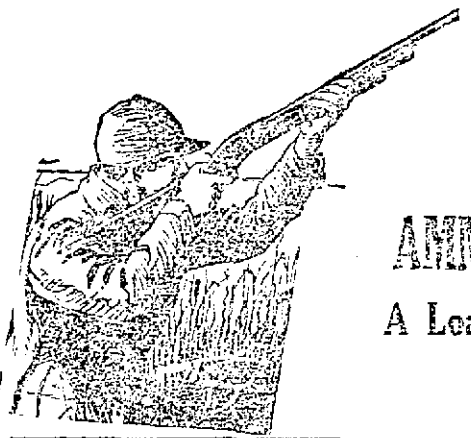
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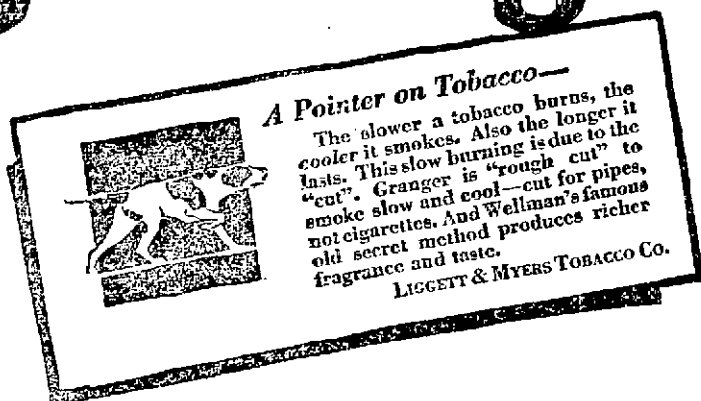
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OCTOBER 15

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## Limestone Boy Is Officer Shreiner Institute—Kerrville

KERRVILLE, Texas, Oct. 20, 1924.—Announcement has just been made by Commandant John C. Patterson of the following student officers at Schreiner Institute:

To be Major—John L. Dibrell, Kerrville.

To be Captain—Clarence (Dutch) Flory, Smithville. Gerald Stafford, San Antonio. Taylor Black, Bartow.

To be First Lieutenant—Charles Moore, Temple.

To be Second Lieutenant—John C. Stitt, Blooming Grove. John D. Boyd, Paris. Maurice Ivey, Taft. Arthur Dietert, Kerrville. James Motte, Taft. Roquey Jobs, Junction.

To be First Sergeant—Clyde Moore, Temple. Claud Boykin, Taft. Ernest Ford, Blooming Grove.

To be Sergeant—James Tenney, Monroeville, Ala. James Rothrock, Kerrville. John Shive, Waxahatchie. Jack Davenport, Center Point. Sheldbourne Carmack, Bristol, Va. Dudley Johnson, Taft.

To be Corporal—A. P. Edwards, Tahoka. Olin Teer, Edna. George Lee Allen, Barstow. DeWitt Carmichael, Smithville. Thomas Corley, Mexia. Jackson Hughes, Merizon. Geo. Myers, Taft. Alvin Irving, Ft. Smith, Ark. Henry Simonds, Kerrville. Winstone Sheen, Merizon. James Sturgis, Waco. Edward Jarrett, Comstock. Alex Holcamp, Kerrville. Lee Roy Vaughn, Center Point. George McEntire, Sterling City.

Schreiner Institute Cadet Officers. Student officers are chosen from the student body on a basis of all-round merit—scholarship, discipline, leadership, character, and personal ability, as well as military proficiency and training, according to Commandant Patterson. To be a student officer a student must have given definite evidence of more than ordinary capacity. For this reason an appointment as a student officer is regarded as one of the highest honors that can come to a Schreiner man.

Besides assisting in the work of the military at Schreiner student officers help in maintaining the discipline of the school and supervise various other kinds of routine work in the organization of the school.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Dee Young by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the 1st Monday in December A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of December A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of October A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5149-A, wherein Grace Young is Plaintiff and Dee Young is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff sues defendant for divorce on the grounds of cruel and harsh treatment of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable, plaintiff prays for divorce and such other and further relief as the Court may grant under the proof.

Herein Fail Not and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 18th day of October A. D. 1924.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD, Clerk.

## Industrial Training At San Marcos School

SAN MARCOS, Texas, Oct. 17.—Due to the fact that an unusually large number of junior high schools are being established throughout the state of Texas, the Southwest Texas State Teachers College is making a special study through its Industrial Arts Department of the many problems that are confronting the high schools offering vocational courses.

This fall there are a greater number of students enrolled in the industrial arts than any previous year, and Prof. W. R. Doucher, head of the Industrial Arts Department, has carefully planned a vocational course that is especially fitted to train college students to go into high schools of the state and carry out a standard course in vocational guidance.

The Industrial Arts Department has extended its work into the grammar school grades of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College Training School, where a group of boys are being given a course in wood work, auto-mechanics, plumbing, and electrical wiring, the latter to finish the year's work. In each phase of the work the boys are giving much of their time to actual jobs, thereby learning through experience.

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District Court, Limestone County.  
By CLARA HEATLY Deputy.

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(Seal) N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.  
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### An Important Accessory



**Waistcoat Blouse Entertaining in Front**  
An accessory that completes and perfects the fashionable wardrobe is this waistcoat blouse, which buttons in front and may have either long or short sleeves. Notched collar and set-in pockets are other important details.

The modishness of the waistcoat was never so strongly accepted as it is this season when Fashion is devoting much attention to the tailleur. This design lends itself to development in the broad, silks, striped flannels, tapestry fabrics and novelty velvets, all of which look well under a straight jacket or blouse.

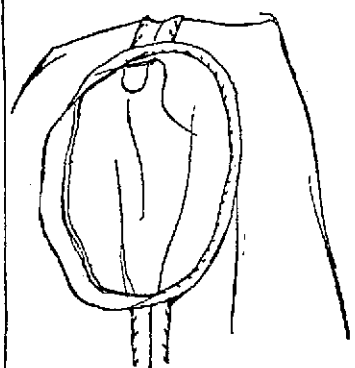
The blouse is bound with plain silk braid and is belted across the back. It calls for two yards of material 36 inches wide.

The home dressmaker may reproduce this blouse with complete success, giving it the smartly tailored effect of the original model. After the shoulder and under-arm seams are joined, the sleeve seams are closed and the lower edge of the sleeve bound with braid. Fold the

braid in half, place the edge of the sleeve on the fold, buste and sew, either by hand or on the machine.

Then sew sleeves into the armhole, matching the top of the sleeve with the shoulder seam and the seam of the sleeve with the under-arm seam of the blouse. After sewing in the sleeve, bind with a bias facing as shown in the diagram. Cut the facing twice the width that it is to be when finished. Sew to the sleeve seam, holding the garment toward you. Then turn to the inside of the sleeve, turn under the edge of the bias facing and baste. Sew down closely with fine hemming stitches.

The belt sections of the blouse should be faced with self-material and attached to the underarm seams.



Finishing Armhole With Bias Band

If preferred, the blouse may be bound with braid of contrasting color. The two-tone effects are particularly smart for waistcoat blouses worn with sports costumes.

Fashion pays very careful attention to the accessories this season, because they are the smart little touches that mean so much to the severely plain dress or costume. This waistcoat blouse may be reproduced in lace to be worn with a tailleur of velvet or suede cloth. In fact in offers countless opportunities for giving variety to one's wardrobe.

## Five Negro Crapshooters Surprised Sunday Morn

Five sons of Ham were surprised in the midst of a game of African golf Sunday morning about eleven thirty, in the alley between Commerce and Palestine streets, back of Prendergast-Smith Bank.

Chief of Police Albert Mace and Jones made the arrests, all of the negroes were carried to the city jail where their fines were fixed at \$20-70 each.

DR. JOHN BLACK HUDSON VISITS MOTHER AND BROTHER

Dr. John Black Hudson, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Victoria, spent several days of the past week in Mexia visiting his mother and his brother, Dr. E. H. Hudson. He preached at the First Presbyterian church Sunday, both morning and

evening, and the large congregations at each service enjoyed splendid spiritual messages.

Dr. Hudson left for Waco Monday morning, thence to his home in Victoria.

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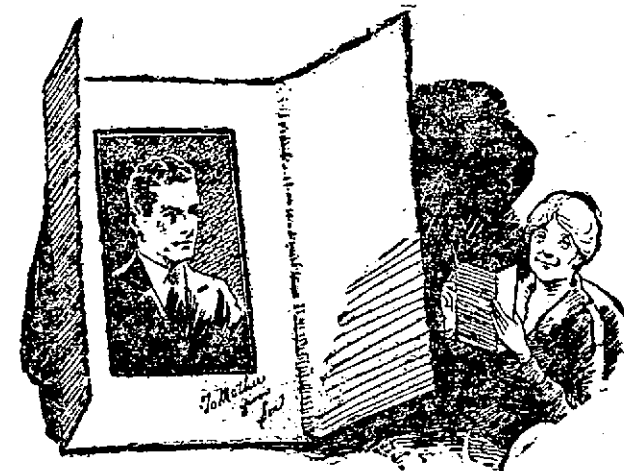
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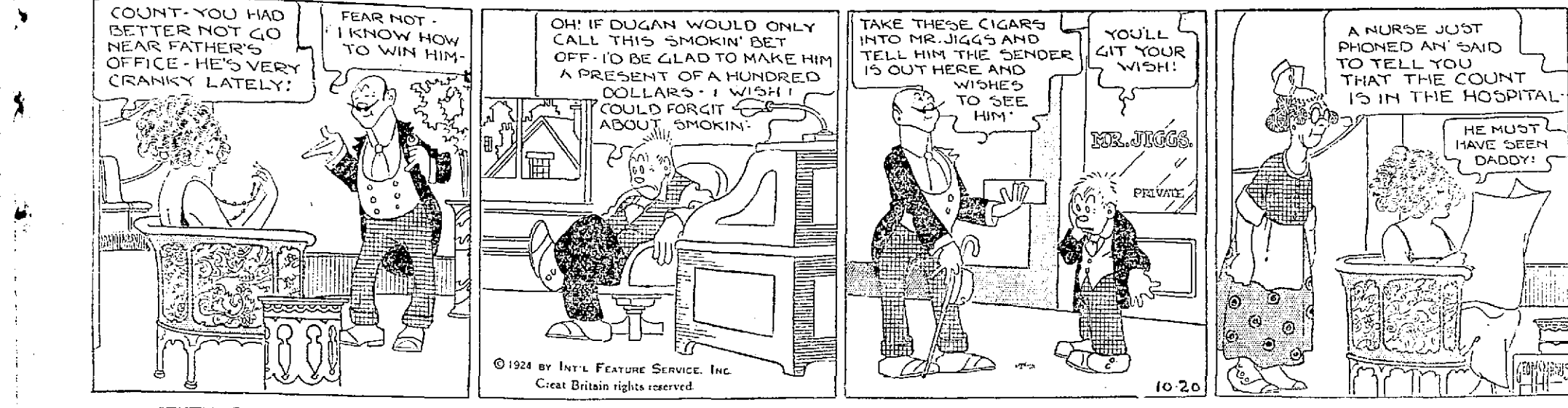
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Table with train schedules: North bound, South bound, and other times.

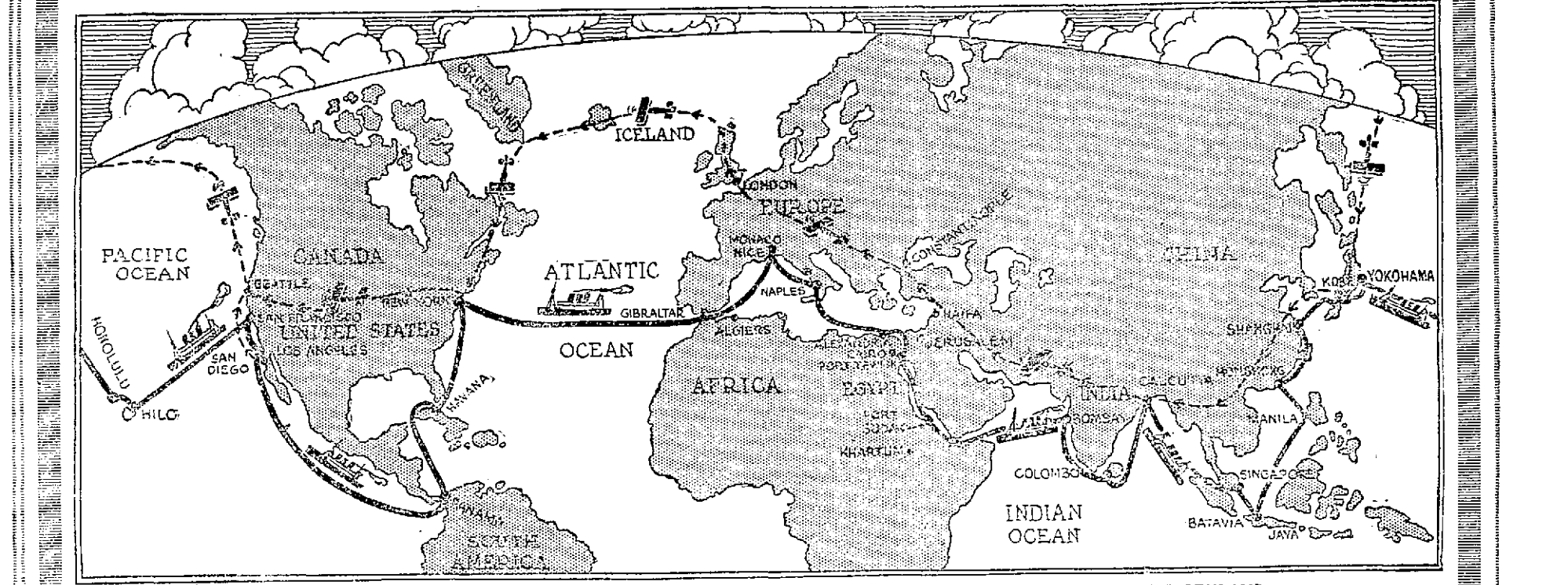


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## St. Paul Normal And Industrial Institute Hold Initial Program

Less than a mile south of town Sunday afternoon a large concourse of negroes assembled for what was to have been the cornerstone laying ceremonies of St. Paul Normal and Industrial Institute, being built by the Primitive Baptist church of that race. Quite a number of their white friends from town gathered with them. On account of the state wide educational conference of the Primitive Baptist church, colored, within the next three weeks, which is to meet here, President Forman, who served Sunday as Master of Ceremonies, stated the formal laying of the cornerstone would be deferred until then, to enable many of the friends of the institution to be present.

President Forman of the Board called the meeting to order and a couple of songs were joined in with fervor by the gathering, followed by prayer.

In the absence of J. K. Hughes who was to have delivered the address of welcome on behalf of their white friends in Mexia, A. Garland Adair was called upon. He stated that he regretted very much that Mr. Hughes was out of the city, as he was sure that he would have grasped the opportunity gladly to speak a word for the encouragement of the race and for the betterment of the state, and also because he, Mr. Hughes, was able to do more than merely talk when he favored an enterprise but, Mr. Adair continued, "It is a privilege to be present at the birth of anything worthy in this life. How commingled are the emotions and sentiments that fill the souls of those nearby when a little child is born. They peer into the future, in the glare from the lamp of experience behind them, and see that infant grow and mature, rise in its cradle, toddle across the floor, and finally ascend the hill of life until the peak is reached, when it then descends with faltering and unsteady step until it reaches the grave, and o' how fervent is their prayer that it may all along walk the path of rectitude and honor."

"And likewise when we see a worthy institution coming into being, as we are seeing today on this lovely hill top, our emotions are many and we sincerely lift our voices in supplication to Him on High to the end that this school may be a benediction to the denomination backing it, an honor to the ministers and committeemen who have nursed it to this good hour, a credit to the race to be trained here and thus a blessing to all the state and nation. No better location could have been secured. High and dry it overlooks our beloved and beautiful community, and just as water runs down from all sides from this building, may streams of righteous influence pour down from here to enrich the lives of all who come in contact with it."

"Mexia welcomes this institution, knowing that it is to be founded on principles eternal and principles that will be found worthy in the stress and storm of the unborn years. Institutions like governments must have a foundation, a cornerstone firm and secure. Our government is founded on the Home, the Church, the School and Constitutional government. This institution to thrive, to flourish, to grow and bless the world, must be founded on courage, honesty, righteousness, industry, service and trust in Christ."

The speaker pointed out that a man who merely met his obligations with his fellow man was not honest all the way. He ought to do that but in addition to that, he should pay his account with God. In this connection he urged that everyone concerned about the St. Paul

## MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



ABOVE: BETTY COMPTON & THELMA MORGAN CONVERSE. BELOW: ROBERT E. CROWE & JACKIE COOGAN. INTERVIEW.

Betty Compson, motion picture actress, and James Cruz, film actor, were supposed to be married in Betty's home town, Fresno, Utah, in November, but they have already been married in Hollywood, Cal. Jackie Coogan, child screen star, touring the world, has been stricken with chicken pox in the Near East. Unsatisfied with the life sentences imposed on Richard Leeb and Nathan Leopold, Jr., for the murder of Robert Franks in Chicago, State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe is contemplating prosecuting them for the murder of Freeman Tracy, who was mysteriously murdered near their homes a year ago. Mrs. Thelma Morgan Converse, daughter of the American Consul to Brussels and sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, has left the movies flat in Hollywood because 9 o'clock in the morning seemed too early to report for duty.

Normal and Industrial Institute should do his and her best, whether great or small, and thus join heartily with Rev. Wilbur Thomas, Thornton Carter and the others who were backing the movement.

Rev. Wilbur Thomas responded to the welcome, going into some of the details concerning the location of the normal and industrial institute at Mexia. He stated that the institute had been in the hearts and minds of a few of them for several years and that they had worked with it, as their chief thought, during all this time. There had all along been a desire to locate the institution here, however, decisions had been made at first to locate it at Corsicana, North; then at Doyle, South; then back to Corsicana and finally Mexia was definitely chosen, because of the encouragement given by their friends, wives and colored, here.

J. Sanford Smith of the Prendergast Smith Bank representing the business interests of Mexia was given a glad hearing when he encouraged them in their project, stating that he expected to see developed here one of the best institutions of its kind that the race boasted of in Texas; that it was a movement to

be most heartily commended; that they could count on the cooperation of their white friends in the business district of Mexia to assist them, and that he was very happy to have had a part in locating the normal at Mexia.

It was explained how Mr. Smith had gotten in touch with Wilbur Thomas and others and urged them to locate the school here.

The gathering was very much pleased with this information.

W. A. Buckner, of Buckner and Wright, also representing the business district of Mexia, spoke encouragingly and commended the denomination for its movement. He stated that he would be found ready at all times to cooperate with them in the development of their plans. Their appreciation of his remarks was noted in the general and generous applause.

Thornton Carter of the Committee to raise the finances needed concluded the program with an appeal for the financial help of everyone, stating that he was going to do his very best to make the institute a success.

This appeal and further work by the committee will, no doubt, net quite a sum for the project.

## BANKER-FARMER CONFERENCE AT A. & M. COLLEGE DEC. 15

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 20.—Pertinent problems of agricultural economics have been selected to compose the program of the fifth annual Banker-Farmer Conference which will be held at the A. & M. College of Texas December 15 and 16. The program was arranged in a conference of Texas bankers, a representative of the American Bankers' Association, officials of the A. & M. College of Texas, and Dean W. R. Dodson of Louisiana State University, held at College Station this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jere Cason returned this morning from Dallas, where they visited relatives.

The foundation for the \$30,000 main building has already been laid and the walls are now going up. J. C. Hodges of this city has the contract. The campus secured is just outside of the city on what is known as the old Broadnax place. It consists of 33 acres.

Hardy Eubanks, President of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce, was unable to be present at the initial service Sunday, on account of his recent illness. However, he sent greetings and good will and encouragement through others of the business district.

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